TERMS OF SALE.—As Cusmary.

Hongkong, 6th November 885.

HOUSE. 5 ROOM.

Hongkong, 5th November, 885.

FOREIGN OFFIG NOTICE.

No. 1 .- From this date nyessel coming from

foreign country will be alwed to land more

any port in the Hawaiian Rigdom, unless the

No. 2.—Passports entitling the holders to re-

turn to the Kingdom will | granted at the

Chinese nationality now resient, or who may

hereafter become resident, onless Islands, who

trade or have conducted som industrial enter-

prise during at least one yearf their residence

San Francisco, to any Chine women desiring

No. 4.—Passports entitlin the holder to en-

No. 6.-The holders of proports issued under

WALTERM. GIBSON,

Minister of Foreign Affairs.

STEAM LAUNCH Co.,

MODERATE /ferms.

No. 16, TUNG IAN LANE,

VEGETABLIS.

AMERICAN CARRIAGES & BUGGIES

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Do. ...£ 883,884

CALIFORNIA FLOURING MEALS.

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Hongkong, 8th Septembr, 1885.

Hongkong, 27th March 1876.

Hongkong, 16th November, 1872.

Hongkong, 27th March, 1882.

NOTIFE.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COM-

Is prepared to ACCEPT FIRST-CLASS

PANY, LIMITED."

GENERAL LIFE AND FIRE

ASSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed

FIRE AND LIFE at Current Rates.

Hongkong, 1st April, 1895.

Hongkong, 30th June, 1885.

Annual Revenue ...

ASSURANCE.

repared to GRANT POLICIES against

THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE

COMPANY.

ESTABLISHED 1825.

Accumulated Funds 31st Dec., 1884 ... £ 6,466,527

Subsisting Assurances Do. £20,467,582
The Undersigned having been appointed

Agents in Hongkong for the above Company

Policies will be issued immediately on

THE BORNEO CO. LIMITED.

Acceptance of Risks by the Board of Directors

are prepared to receive proposals for LIFE

Agents for the above Company, are

Hongkong, 17th Septembr, 1885:

HONGK CNG.

claim it proper to admit to to Kingdom.

this regulation shall be two blars (\$2).

Foreign Office.

Honolulu, 1st September 1885.

TRING KEE,

ANNED FRUITS.

IRON MANTEL PIECES.

Foreign Office, Honolulu, o all persons of

Apply by letter to

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KINGDOM.

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J. M. AMSTRONG.

WKESWICK,



						PRICE \$23 PER MANH	NOVes
No. 8699	九百六千八第 日三初	7月十年一十缩光 HONG	KONG, MONDAY, YOVEMBER		就九月一十英春香 NOT10E TO NSIGNEE	INTIMATIONS.	
SHIPPING.	INTIMATIONS	BANKS.	AUCTION. PUBLIC AUGION.	INSURANCES. THE MAN ON INSURANCE COM-	FROM LONDON, PENANG, AND	TN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.	
ARRIVALS. or 6, Signal, German steamer, 385,	ANE CEAMTOND & DO.	1	THE Undersigned has relived instructions to Sell by Public Auchn,	PANY, LIMITED. HEAD OFFICE—HONGRONG.	SINGAPORE. THE Steamship	IN BANKRUPTCY	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
dowardt, Pakhoi 3rd November, and how 5th, General.—Siemssen & Co.	KID GLOVES,	PAID UP £ 500,000.	the 9th November, 1885, 2 P.M., at his	CAPITAL (SUBSCRIBED), \$1,000.000.	"GLENFALLOCH." having arrived from the above Ports, Consignoes of Cargo by her are hereby informed that	Victoria, Hongkong, Trader, having bee	0W,
Anderson, Pakhei 4th November, and	KID GLOVES,	Registered Office, 40, Threadneedle Street, London.	AN ASSORTMEN OF JAPANESE WAE, &c.,	BOARD OF DIRECTORS. LUM SIN SANO, Esq.	their Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns	adjudged a Bankrupt, under a Petition for Adjudication in Bankruptcy. Sled in the Suprem	me

Hundo Hoihow November (Hoihow 5th, General .- YUEN FAT HONG November 6, THREE BROTHERS, British bark 366, H. Kahlike, Quinhon 12th October, Salt and Oil .- CHINESE. November 7, KUTSANG, British steamer, 1,425, Young, Whampon 7th November, General.

November

-Jardine, Matheson & Co. November 7, LAERTES, British sceamer, 1,391 R. F. Scale, Shanghai and Foochow 31st Oct., General.—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. November 7, Kwong-war, Chinese steamer, 400, J. W. Lawson, Shanghai 3rd November, Ballast .- CHINESE GOVERNMENT. November 7, AMATISTA, British str., 522, Ham-

lin, Tamsui, 3rd November, Amoy 5th, and Swatow 6th, General-Douglas LAPRAIR & Co. November ' POBAGO, British bark, 281, Robert Crosbie, Albany (W.A.) 16th September, Sandalwood.—GILMAN & Co.

November 7. DARING, British sloop, E. H. M. Davies, Hoihow 5th November. November 7, YANGTSZE, British steamer, 814. Schulz, Shanghai 3rd November, General. -Siemssen & Co.

G. Scrivener, Shanghai 5th Nov., Mails and Christmas wishes. General,-P. & O. S. N. Co. November 8. DIAMANTE. British steamer, 514.

General.—Russell & Co. November 8, Namoa, British steamer, 862, Geo. Westoby, Foochow 5th Nyember, Amoy 6th, and Swatow 7th, G: -Douglas LAPRAIR & Co.

November 8, MARIE, German steamer, 704, J Holhmann, Touron 5th November, General. -WIELER & Co. November 8, DON JUAN, Spanish steamer, 654,

José Marquez, Manila 5th November, Gene-TAL-BRANDAO & Co. November 8, Cousins Abbib, British str., 1,231, Hollis, Amoy and Swatow 7th November,

General.—Chinese. November 8, DUBUEG, German steamer, 921, Schultz, Saigon 2nd November, General.-MELCHERS & Co.

November 8, Loine Inferieure, French str., 532, Pillivnyt, Haiphong 4th November, Ballast.—CAPTAIN.

November 8, CLIEVEDEN, British steamer, 1,114 F. Johnston, from Whampon, General-SIEMSSEN & Co.

November 8, Hornow, British str., 980, Gyles, from Whampon, Ballast.—Butterfield & SWIRE. November 8, FOORSANG, British steamer, 990,

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. November S, Elise, German ship, 1,348, Fr Rowell, Cardiff 14th June, Coal.—Captain November 8, TEHERAN, British steamer, 1,670 W. I. Nantes, Yokohama 31st Oct., Maile

Hogg, Shanghai 4th November, General.—

CLEARANCES.

and General—P. & O. S. N. Co.

AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. 7TH NOVEMBER. Danube, British str., for Swatow. Thales, British str., for Swatow. Bracadoile, British str., for Swatow. Nanaimo, British bark, for Calcutta. Energia, British str., for Singapore. Glenfalloch, British str., for Singapore. Signal, German str., for Heihow. Kong Beng, British str., for Swatow. Taiwan, British str., for Amoy. Kutsang, British str., for Shanghai. Laurtes, British str., for Singapore.

DEPARTURES. November 7. CAMELOT. British str., for Singa-

November 7. GLENFALLOCH, British str., for Yokohama. November 7, Kutsang, British str., for Shang-

November 8, Comer, German ship, for Havre. November 8, Thales, British str., for Twanfoo. November 8, Energia, British str., for Singa-

November S. Kong BENG. British steamer, for

November 5, TAIWAN, British str., for Amoy. November 8, LARRIES, British str., for London. November 8, Homow, British str., for Shanghai November 8, BRACADAILE, British steamer, for Swatow.

November 8, NANAIMO, British bk., for Calcutts. November 8, FOORSANG, British str., for Wham-

November 8, YANGTSZE, British steamer, for Whampos.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED. Per Danuberstr., from Pakhoi and Hoihow -Dr. Lowry, from Pakhol, and 28 Chinese. Per Amatieta, str., from "amsui, &c.-Mr. Dodd, and 66 Chinese. Per Yangteze, str., from gani.-Mrs.

Samson, Mesers Rose and Publicald, and 45 Per Namoa, str., from Coast Ports.-Mr. and Mrs. Remedies and child, Messrs. Crocker and Almeida, and 111 Chinese. Per Hydaspes, str., from Shanghai.-Messrs. J. H. Scott and Ewen Cameron, and 14 Chinese For Suez.—Mr. and Mrs. Aston, For Lendon.

Per Teheran str., from Yokohama.-For Hongkong.-Messrs. Bolger, R.N., I. Kerr, and C. Anderson, and 3 Chinese. For Pensng.-Mr. Fredericks, Miss Omi Matsu, and I Japauese girl. For London.—Capt. Hippinley, R.N., and Mr. F. Adcock. From Hiogo. - For Hongkong. -Major Nash, R.A., Capt. and Mrs. Hankin, Mrs. Massen, child and amah, Mrs. Ewens, 2 children, European maid and amah, Messrs. W. H. Cockburn, G. Montgomery, and Silva. For

-Mr. G. S. Piper. For Marseilles. -Mr. L. P.

Venice,—Mr. V. Roch. REPURTS. The German ship Elise, from Cardiff, reports

Hamburg to Hongkong, 90 days out.

The British steamer Namoa reports left Foo- The said YEUNG MING LAI TONG will not chow on the 5th November, and experienced held themselves Responsible for any Debts, fresh N.E. winds to Amoy. Left Amoy on the Old or New, contracted by the said YEUNG YUK 6th and Swatow on the 7th. From Amoy to CHI or his Son YEUNG HEE KUM. Swatow moderate N.E. winds and fine weather; Creditors and Debtors are also hereby refrom Swatow to port light N. and N.W. winds quested to send their contracts to be signed by and fine weather. In Foochew H.M.S. Fire- YEUNG TEO MAN, YEUNG MAN FUNG, and brand, strs. Haeshin, Messoo and John Knoz. In YEUNG KING SHAN, or certified by the putting Amoy strs. Chi-yuen, Cheang Hock Kian and on the same documents of the Chop of HOO Port Phillip., In Swatow strs. Straits of Gi- TAI LOONG MING KEE. braltar, Douglas and Fidelio.

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KID GLOVES, KID GLOVES, FOR EVENING WEAR.

KID GLOVES, KID GLOVES, KID GLOVES,

FRENCH AND ENGLISH MARES. LANÉ, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, 6th November, 1885.

CHRISTMAS CARDS! CHRISTMAS CARDS! BREWER has just received VV . a complete Novelty in Christmas and New Year Cards made to his order. Each Card is an original sketch of some Eastern Scene or Character beautifully painted on Silk with appropriate Christmas Mottoes. Also Photographs representing the Habits H. Hoppins, Esq. November 8, Hydaspes, British steamer, 1,890, and Customs of the Japanese in ministure with

Also an entirely new series of his Original and very popular Pidgin English Sing Song Cards. All the above are moderate in price and highly A. A. McCaslin, Manila 5th November, appreciated by residents away from the Fur

W. Brewer has also r large assortment of American and English C. . us. Little Wide Awake, new volume. Girl's Own Annual. Every Boy's Annual. New Juvenile Books. Lett's Diaries; Smith's Diaries. Anglo-Chinese Date Blocks. Cheap Commercial Envelopes, \$1.25 per 1,000. Cheap Commercial Note Paper, \$1 per Roam.

UNDER HONGRONG HOTEL. EZ ELLY AND WALSH, LIMITED, ... HAYE JUST RECEIVED. CHRISTMAS and New YEAR'S CARDS in the CHOICEST AMERICAN & ENGLISH DESIGNS. New Stock of Birthday Cards. Cigarettes-Sweet Caporals-Vanity Fair-

W. BREWER, Queen's Road.

Vanity Fair-Old Judge-Perfection-El Cometa Oriente. Tobaccos-Old Judge-Wills' Four Seasons 1 .- The business of the above Bank will be mond Gem-Richmond Mixture-Sweet to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1 Caperal-Happy Thought-Dollar Brand-

Stor Mixture-Golden Eagle. Corpulence in hot climates & its prevention). Reed's Engineer's Guide-New Edition. Wade's Tau Erh Chi-Colloquial Series with Key, complete, \$7.50. Pollock's Modern Shipbuilding.

Field Exercises—Last Edition. Letter Writer of Modern Society. Hints on Business-Financial and Legal. Whist Developments, by Cavendish. Proctor's How to play Whist. Cavendish on Whist. Walker's The Correct Card. Pole's Theory of Whist. American Squeezer Playing Cards.

TUITION. R. WILLIAM SWEETMAN, Teacher MAN can impart a fair knowledge of any his Pass-Book are necessary. European Lauguage within three months. Arrangements are now being made to form MR. SWEETMAN undertakes Translations

DAY and EVENING CLASSES. in all European Languages and offers his Services as Interpreter. Terms strictly moderate. Apply to COLLEGE CHAMBERS,

Wyndham Street. Hongkong, 15th October, 1885. NOTICE.

FIHE Undersigned, in returning thanks the Community of Hongkong and Scuthera Out-ports for their support during the last Season, begs to notify them that she will be prepared on and after the 1st of November to

GAME, GAME PIES, SAUSAGES. BRAWN, ENGLISH PORK FRESH AND PICKLED; CORNED AND FRESH MEAT. Every attention given to careful packing, and

the utmost despatch guaranteed in shipment.

LAVINIA HOPKINS, Corner of Sze-chuen and Ningpo Roads. Shanghai, 26th Octobor, 1885.

NOTICES OF FIRMS.

NOTICE.

THEINTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of MR SHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS are SURANCES to the extent of \$65,000, on first-one Firm in Honokong and China has Craser from this date. E. D. SASSOON & Co.

Shanghai, 29th October, 1885. NOTICE.

MR. WILLIAM SISSON HUNTER, late of the Victoria Dispensary, having taken CHARGE of the HONGKONG PHARMACY, the Firm representing the Pharmacy shall in future be under the Style of HUNTER & Co. WOODFORD & Co. Hongkong, 2nd November, 1885.

TAKASIMA COLLIERY AGENCY. THE Undersigned having returned from Japan, has RESUMED CHARGE of the TAKASTMA COLLIERY AGENCY. H. J. H. TRIPP.

Hongkong, 2nd November, 1885.

THE Undersigned have been nominated by Special Appointment COMMERCIAL AGENTS for the Foreign Business of His Excellency the Vicercy of Chirli. RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 11th July, 1885.

having spoken the German ship Johanne, from day of June last, YEUNG YUK CHI and his Son YEUNG HEE KUM (the latter having The British barque Three Brothers reports left | been the Manager) retired from the Business of Quinhon on the 12th October. Experienced first the HOO TAI LOONG SHOP, No. 50, Praya part light variable winds and calms till lat. 19.00 | Central, and Sold all their own Shares of the N.; long. 114.00 E.; from thence N.E. winds and Business to YEUNG MING LAI TONG who had been until then Partners or Shareholders. Settlement of Accounts has been made.

Hongkong, 12th August, 1885.

BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN AND THE COLONIES. THE BANK receives money on Deposit Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, and Transacts Banking and Agency Business BRONZES, EMBROIDETES, IVORIES, generally on terms to be had on application. ON THE ORIENTAL BANK

CORPORATION PURCHASED ON

ADVANTAGEOUS TERMS. H. A. HERBERT, Manager, Hongkong Branch. Hongkong, 6th July, 1885. TTONGKONG&SHANGHAIBANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL BESERVE FUND RESERVE FOR EQUALIZATION OF 500,000. DIVIDENDS RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO-7,500,000. PRIETORS COURT OF DIRECTORS :-Chairman-Hou, F. D. Sassoon.

Deputy Clairer A. Molver, Esq. 2. E. Sassoon, Esq. H. L. Daleyapte, ken W. H. Forbes, Esq. C. D. Bottomley, Esq. A. P. McEwen, Enq. on. W. Keswicz CHIEF LIANAGER Hongkong-Thomas Jackson, Esq.

MANAGER. Shanghai-EWEN CAMERON, Esq. LONDON BANKERS-LONDON & COUNTY BANK. Hongkong-Interest Allowed. On Current Deposit Account at the rate of

2 per cent. per Annum on the daily balance.
On Fixed Deposits:— For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum. For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum. For 12 months 5 per Cent, per Annum. LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTEDS CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and

every description of Banking and Exchange dom, business transacted. DRAFTS granted on London, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia." America, China and Japan. T. JACKSON, Chief Manager. Hongkong, 24th August, 1885.

NOTICE. Richmond Gem-Little Besuties-New DULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

-Three Castles-Morris' Golden Flake conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Office, Honolulu; also by Hi Majesty's Consul Honey Dew-Cope's Golden Cloud-Wills' Banking Corporation, on their premises in General at Hongkong, His hjesty's Consul at Bristol Birds Eye-Cut Cable Coil-Rich- Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 Shanghae, and His Majesty's Consul General at 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at to come to the Islands, and i Chinese children

one time will not be received. No depositor whose parents, are residing the Kingdom, or Banting in India—(a practical treatise on may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. | who may not be of more than be used to make the second seco 3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option | ter the Kingdom will also be granted at the transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shang. Foreign Office to such perms of Chinese nahai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. 4.—Interest at the rate of 33 per cent. per annum will be allowed to Depositors on their daily balances. 5.—Hach Depositor will be supplied gratis these regulations must have the same indersell

with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with with the visa of the Consular apresentative of each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must this Kingdom at any port at yhich he may emnot make any entries themselves in their Pass-bark on his return journey, sid also at any port Agents for the above Corporation, Books, but should send them to be written up at which he may stay mor/than twenty-four prepared to grant Insurances as follows: at least twice a year, about the beginning of hours during such return jorne; KELLY & WALSH, LD., HONGKONG. January and beginning of July 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the passport shall be one dollar. Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings Bank

No. 8.—All orders and instructions regulating

China, and Australia

The Desired Compared of the various of Chinase ato this Kingdom

FIRE DES

7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, scinded, but nothing herein ontained shall affect of Languages, will be glad to receive but the personal attendance of the Depositor or the validity of any passport said at Hongkong Puris. Under his new system Mr. SWEET. his duly appointed Agent, and the production of before the proclamation thre of these Regula-For the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank-

ING CORPORATION. T. JACKSON. Chief Manager. Hongkong, 8th May, 1885.

THE HARDEN "STAR" HAND GRENADE FIRE EXTINGUISHER. FIGHE Undersigned, having just arrived, is prepared to fill all Orders for the above GRENADE. It is the Chespest, Simplest, and

Best Known FIRE EXTINGUISHER IN THE WORLD, having been used in England and America with the greatest success for the past year and having extinguished over 800 Actual Fires, thereby saving millions of dollars worth of HEADSTONES AND MINUMENTS

These Grenadre are sold at \$16.00 per case of one dozen each, and no Grenades sold less than dozen Lots.

Send all orders to E. CLARK. Hongkong Hotel.

Hongkong, 22nd September, 1885.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

our Firm in Hongkong and China has CEASED arrival in this Harbour, none of the Company's Foremen should be at hand, orders for repairs if sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya [1980 | Central, will receive prompt attention. In the event of complaints being found necessary, communication with the Undersigned is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction. D. GILLIES.

Secretary, Hongkong, 26th August, 1885. CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1884. CHAREHOLDERS are hereby requested to RISKS at 1 % nett per Annum, and other IN-

send in to this Office a List of their Consugardances at Current Rabs. tributions of Premia for the year ending 31st | Agencies at all the Treaty Ports of China December last, in order that the proportion of Profit for that year to be paid as Bonus to Contributors may be arranged. Returns not sent in Jas. B. COUGHTRIE, before the 30th November next, will be made up by the Company, and no subsequent claims or alterations will be allowed. By Order of the Directors, JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,

Secretary. Hongkong, 1st October, 1885. AN INDISPENSABLE ADJUNCT TO EVERY DESK IN THE FAR EAST. ANGLO-CHINESE DESK

CALENDAR

FOR: 1886. Showing the Day of Week, Day of Month and corresponding Day of Chinese Moon in parallel columns in BLACK and RED. The Handiest, and most complete CALENDAR invented. In neat imitation Morrocco Case, with Calendar for 1886 on Back.

For Sale by MESSRS. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Messas. KELLY & WALSH, Limited, in Shanghai. Mr. W. BREWER, Hongkong, 14th October, 1885.

PRICE ONE DOLLAR.

KANGA, IMARY, KIOTO. PORIO, and SAT-CHAN LI CHOY, Esq. | Q. HOI CHUNE, Esq. SUMA VASES, JAKS, BOVLS, PLATES, The Company GRANTS POLICIES on MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World, CARD DISHES, INCENE BURNERS, TEA and COFFEE SETS ENAMELLED GOLD and SLVER INLAID payable at any of its Agencies. Contributory Dividends are payable to all Contributors of Business, whether they are Shareholders or not. WOO LIN YUEN,

Secretary. HEAD OFFICE, No. 2, Queen's Road West, Hongkong, 14th March, 1881. WANTED ON 1ST DECMBER NEXT. THE STRAITS INSURANCE COMPANY. FURNISHED OR NEURNISHED LIMITED.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Care of Dily Press Office. Agents for the above Company, are prepared to GRANT POLICIES on MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World, at carrent HAWAIIAN CONSTATE GENERAL. Hongkong, 2nd lovember, 1885.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. The following Notice is pullshed for general Hougheng, 5th November, 1983. TMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY. - - Gonsul General. The Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to GRANT POLICIES against FIRE to the extent of \$60,000 on any REGULATIONS, SUPERSEDISTROSE OF MARCH | ORS 25TH, 1884, FOR THE CATROL OF CHINESE FIRST-CLASS RISK. IMMIGRATION INTO THE HAWAIIAM

EATES ON FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS RE DUCED to 1 PER CENT. NETT PRE ANNUM FROM THIS DATE. TY virtue of the authity conferred upon GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., me by a Resolutionof His Majesty in Cabinet Council passed on to 13th day of July. Imperial Fire Insurance Company. 1883. I hereby make and priaim the following Hongkong, 9th May, 1881. Regulations for the admison of Chinese pas-

INSURANCE COMPANY. than twenty-five (25) Chitse passengers at FUIHE Undersigned, Agents of the above Company, are authorized to INSURE against passengers in excess of that nuber are provided FIRE at Current Rates. with passports entitling themb enter the King-GILMAN & Co. Hongkong, 1st January 1882.

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF 1877. IN HAMBURG. FINE Undersigned, Agents of the above Company, are Prepared to ACCEPT may desire to visit any foreign country, provided always that such persons hav been engaged in RISKS at Current Rates. PUSTAU & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 18th January, 1884 here. No return passports will be given to. Chinese labourers leaving theountry.

No.3.—Passportswill be grated at the Foreign COMPAN INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. HEAD OFFICE-SINGAPORE. We are prepared to GRANT POLICIES OFFICES, and SMALL GARDEN. against FIRE on usual Terms at Current Rates. All Contributors of Business whether Shareholders or not are entitled to Share in

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, July, 1885. tionality as the Minister of breign Affairs may THE LONDON ASSURANCE. No. 5.—The fee for any paport issued under INCORPORATED BY BOYAL CHARTER OF HIS MAJESTY KING GEORGE THE FIRST. A.D. 1720.

FIRE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation, are MARINE DEPARTMENT. No. 7.—The fee for the Gasul's visa of each Policies at current rates, payable either here. in London, or at the principal Ports of India,

FIRE DEPARTMENT. British Post Offices in Hongkong and China, heretofore made and proclamed are hereby re- Policies issued for long or short periods at current rates. LIFE DEPARTMENT. Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000, at reduced rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong 26th July, 1872. UN FIRE OFFICE. The Undersigned are prepared from this date to GRANT POLICIES against FIRE at the Reduced Tariff Kates to the extent of \$50,000 Have always on hand applies of the best on First-class Risks. LINSTEAD & DAVIS,

COAL for Houses, STEMERS, & SHIPS at Agents, Sun Fire Office. Hongkong, 12th May, 1881. YEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY. LIFE ASSURANCE ONLY MEA'S AND SALMON. Purely mutual; all profits belong to Policy. holders and apportionments are made unnually.

STATEMENT FOR YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1884. ... Accumulated Funds £12,127,930 AMERICAN BILLIARIS POOL TABLES Surplus over all liabilities and Reserve Fund according to valuation made by the Government..... Income for year 1884 £ 2,846,245. -C. SETON LINDSAY. Res. Manager,

Department of the East. NORTH GERMAN FRE INSURANCE BIRLEY, DALRYMPLE & Co., Agents, Hongkong. THE Undersigned, Alents for the above

CALEDONIAN FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY. ESTABLISHED 1805.

ITHE Undersigned having been appointed TRANSATLANTICHREINSURANCE Agents for the above Company are pre-COMPANY OF HAMBURG. pared to issue Policies of Insurance against Fire on the usual terms. The Undersigned, haing been appointed ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Agents for the avove Company, are prepared to Hongkong, January, 1882. ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current THE PACIFIC MUTUAL LIFE INSUR-ANCE COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA. 112 THE POLICIES of the Company impose

I no restriction upon Residence or Travel. LOWER RATES and BETTER RETUENS offered than by any other Life Insurance Company S U G A R represented in this Colony. Agent for China and Japan. Hongkong, 8th September, 1885.

DHENIX FIRE OFFICE. The Undersigned are now prepared GRANT POLICIES of INSURANCE against [708a FIRE at the following divies:-On First-class European Tenementsat 1 / Net per Annum

On First-class Godowns.

& Merchandise stored

thereinat ½ /. Net per Annum On Petroleum in licensed Godowns at 13 % Net per Annum. On First-class Chinese Tenementsat 2 /, Net per Annum On Second-class Chinese DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., Agents for Phonix Fire Office. Hougkong, 5th August, 1881.

OUEEN FIRE INSURANCE The Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS on FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS at 1 per Cent. Nett premium per Annum. NORTON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 20th May, 1881.

NOTICE.

Yow CHONG PENO, Esq. of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Court of Hongkong, on the 1st day of June. Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained. instant, will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 4th November, 1885.

TO BE LET. TO LET. DOOMS in CLUD CHAMBERS.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, 1st February, 1832. TO LET.

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Official Assignce, in the Bankruptcy, and the undersigned are the Solicitors, acting for the Bankrupt Dated this 2nd day of November, 1885. DENNYS & MOSSOP, Solicitors.

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said, on MONDAY, the 21st day of Decomber,

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The First Meeting of Creditors has been duly held and at the Public Sitting above mentioned proofs of Debte of Creditors who have not proved will be received and the said Bankrupt will be required to surrender himself to the said

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CHINESE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT EIGHT PER CENT. LOAN OF 1881.

FIFTH DRAWING.

OTICE is hereby given, that in conformity with the stipulation contained in the Bonds of this Loan, the following Numbers of Bonds to be paid off at Par at the Office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Cor-PORATION, in Hongkong on the 7th day of best English. American, and German November, 1885, when the interest thereon will cease to be payable, were this day Drawn at the Houses allowing a selection out of severe Office of the said Corporation in Hongkong, in the presence of Mr. HEBBERT MAURICE BEVIS housands Acting Chief Accountant of the said Corpora-

tion, and of the undersigned Notary.

NUMBERS OF BONDS DRAWN. 42 99 154 209 267 138 203235 242 250 291 322 378 435 493 563 603 658 618762 818. 770 827 810 875 882 994 11231145 : 1154 | 1162 1290 132113301340 1386 1379 1395 1442 1451 14341498 1506 14921562 1546 1555 1569 1606 2615 1663 1671 1679 17271775 1831 1780 183819102191 .2288241026342746 $\mathbf{2961}$ 32613359 3367 3424 3480 3490 3751 3973 40924147 4682 1698 48624903 4910 4919 4924 4973 4983 5200 5208 5373 5349 5358 5463 5471 5477 5486 56985706 5874 6035 - 60446089 6138 6152 6153 6814 6820 7332 late Tso Tsono-Tano, to treat La with sus-7324 picion or indignity. It is impossible to say 73907436 7431what the views of P ince CRUN on the sub-7558 ject may be, and we are not aware in what 7613 light he regards the Vicercy of Chihli, but 7606 7599there is, we think, sufficient sense among the 7782 Peking mandarine to convince them that any 7831 7885 7838 scheme to diminish the nower and prestige 7926 7934 7942 7951 of Li Hung-chang will be risky and unneces-7976 7981 7990 7997 8001 sary, as well as ungrateful. 8042 8050 8058 8074

8746 For Shanghai Taels 500 each—Shanghai Taels 548,000. For the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, H. M. BEVIS. Acting Chief Accountant.

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Countersigned A. P. STOKES,

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Notary Public, Hongkong. Hongkong, 16th September, 1885.

CHINESE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT EIGHT PER CENT. -LOAN OF 1881.

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Hongkong, November 9th, 1885.

The Tientsin correspondent of the N. C. Chihli having at his beck so large a military 2459 are about to be organised. If there be any 2682 power of LI Hung-CHANG felt in-the capital 2906 and powerful, and some of them would gladly virtual dictatorship in regard to China's 3130 foreign policy which he has thought to have 3188 so long held is, however, not so real as some persons have imagined. There is no doubt that the Viceroy has, by his great talents and experience, together with his knowledge of foreigners, been indispensable to the Pa 8588 king Government, and there is equally little doubt that the military power he has wielded has served for years past to hold his foes in check and ensured his continuance both in office and in the Imperial favour. But great as Lt Hung-chang's influence is, it is not sufficient, as has been proved on several recent occasions, to prevail over the express-4194 ed opinions of the Censorate or those of the Board of Revenue. There are occasions 4364 when the Viceroy himself has to acquiesce Olona. 4411 4418 in the reactionary views of the mandarinate 4474 and wait for a more favourable opportunity 4562 4570 4579 4587 to press his projects upon the Throne. If, 4642 however, Lt is to be deprived of the direc- Japan as ports at each of which an infectious and by the boys and left the College highly pleased tion of the forces of Chibli, the trained 4788 4794 4805 4815 troops which he has with so much care and 4869 trouble brought to a pitch of efficiency unknown to the rest of the Chinese army, he 5014 5021 5030 5038 will lose no inconsiderable portion of his influence, and will be more vulnerable to at tack. Ho is so wealthy and could be squeezed 5239 5246 5255 5261 so extensively that he would be a mark for 5318 denunciation, and sooner or later would 5406 5413 5422 5431 share the fate of CHUNG How. But will-His-Excellency quietly submit to the measures 5642 5650 engines of power to be removed from his Gasette. The total revenue for the quarter was from the spring of this ear and lasting for ten Northamptonshire Regiment, who by hard hitcontrol? And will the troops, which are such a change? The Viceroy of Chibli ashere in the Hwangpoo at Shanghai near has so far acquiesced in the efforts made to there on the latinat. At last reports the province, we selected, and official instructors having been lespatched thither, the business of teaching the himses of teaching the hi said to be devoted to him, be content with 6100 to strengthen the hands of the Imperial get off till the high tides. Government, but will be continue to do so 6243 6250 6259 6271 when the next move is directed to stripping 6314 6322 him of some of his power? The wisdom of such an attempt may be seriously questioned. 6471 6479 6486 6493 If the loyalty of the Vicercy of Chibli be 6526 6533 6543 6551 beyond dispute-and he has never yet shown. the slightest disposition to aspire to greater -6686 6695 6702 6719 things, while he has underiably served the in- Fund, one from the Ven: Archdeacon Moule of 6750 6758 6766 6774 terests of his country faithfully and well-6829 it would be a huge mistake to drive him 6918 6926, 6934 6942 into either rebellion or resignation, and if shabbily treated he might elect to follow one 7100 7109 of those two courses. It would be more es-7167 pecially a mistake at the present moment, just when China has lost the services of the

8099 8108 8114 Tur situation in Tonquin and Annam at 8226 present must prove eminently unsatisfactory 8274 8283 to the French authorities. So far from the conclusion of peace with China having put an end to their difficulties, they find they 8506 bave still to conquer their new territory. The conflict between the French and Chinese 8650 8658 8667 8674 forces seems to have been just sufficient to set 8706 8714 8724 8730 the Black Flage and the natives fairly on their feet and to place them in a position to fight for themselves. Travelling in the country from one French post to another is upsafe. acts of piracy on the rivers and canals are frequent, and in fact immediately beyond the French lines there is no security for either life or property. But it is not mere general disorder and lawlessness that have to be contended against; there is a strong and well organised military opposition to be reckoned with. We hear of French columns being sent in this direction and in that direction, under the command of Generals, and which are evidently expected to encounter an enemy capable of offering a substantial resistance. General Councy has just returned from an expedition to Thanh mai, and on his arrival at Hanoi immediate-

direction of Hai-dzuong. Some little time ago rumours were current at Saigon of a THRISTMAS' AND NEW YEAR'S serious reverse having been sustained by the French. They were discredited by the Saigon. nais, but it is possible they may have had some foundation in fact, though no doubt they were much exaggerated. Hung-hoa was mentioned as the place where the disaster was said to have occurred, but, as suming there to have been any truth at all in the rumours, they referred most probably to the forces which have been operating in the direction of Thanh-mai. The brief note accorded to the Thanh-mai expedition by the semi-official journal l'Avenir du Tonkin is, at all events, calculated to excite some mis-General had returned to Hanoi, but the Avenir had " heard nothing of the results accomplished," and expresses its intention of waiting for the official order of the day. Had the French arms been completely successful great advance on thiate observations, which this was a fact which could have been an-

nounced in as many words and of which at Hongkong will has much better data than every one in Hanoi must have become aware immediately on the General's arrival. It is evident, therefore, that there has been some official reserve, and in such matters as these official reserve only bears one interpretation. However this may be, there can be no doubt he was under the intence of a fit of insanity attack, and was able to recover a portion of the that France is still only at the commencement of the large enterprise on which she has entered. As a correspondent in a recent issue of The Times remarks :- "The burden and heat of the day are not yet at an end; the sweets of rest and onjoyment, of a flourishing trade and a peaceful colony, are in the future; how remote that future may be must depend on the conception which France has of the task before her, of her willingness to undergothenecessary sacrifices, and of the promptitude with which she sets this is the Tao-t'ai wl was presented by the berself to the work." The actual state of Daily News says that an uneasy feeling exists | things in Tonquin is thus described by 2070 at Peking with regard to the Viceroy of this correspondent, who is evidently some one who has an intimate acquaintance with 2240 force. It is remoured that Prince Chun the country: -"To the north of Bacaich 2294 will shortly go to Tientsin to assume the and to the west of Hung-hoa-in other control of the military and naval forces that words, the whole of Tonquin outside the course of the Red River-is as independent \$6,000. The salvage om C. Lutz and Co.'s truth in these reports, it would seem pro- of foreign control as ever it was. If France bable that the long existent jealousy of the is to render her position there secure, she will have to reinforce her troops and put down in the Royal Insurage Co., both on Messrs. is at length likely to bear some fruit. The opposition everywhere; this cannot be done enemies of the great Viceroy are numerous in one campaign or in two, in one year or in two, but the force will have to be applied see him shorn of some of his strength. The steadily and without intermission for some years. Every town of importance will have, to be captured and occupied in force, and to do this France will have to make efforts as great as those she was propered to make six months ago on thenews of the retreat from Langson."

for the purchase of a war ship amounted on the further honour woul eventually be conferred 2nd instant to \$27.175.

The Daily News says that Mr. G. M. H. Playfair has been appointed H. B. M.'s Vice-Consul at Shanghai till further notice. The report of the Government Astronomer for

the month of August last is published as a supplement to Saturday's issue of the Gazette. The steamer Caetallano sailed from Manila for Yap on the 29th October having on board the

necessary staff for the establishment of a Spanish factory there under the charge of Mr. Antonio An Order in Council dated 9th November is ing good and in pentaging our duties, one can

The final ballot for a Deputy took place at Saigon on the 25th October, and resulted in 41 votes being given for M. Blancsubé and 412 for M. Ternisien. The former has therefore been

contagious disease prevails.

It is notified in Saturday's Gazette that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to recognise provisionally, and until further notice. Mr. Carlos de Ribera as in charge of the Spanish Consulate at this port.

there on the 1st inst. At last reports she was and carried on with success from the month of round was very weak, several catches being

A circular despatch from Colonel Stanley. Secretary of State for the Colonies, accompany ing a copy of the Imperial Act 48 and 49 Vict chap. 49, entitled "An Act to carry into effect barley, millet, potatoes, lick-wheat, beans, and an International Convention for the Protection of Submarine Cables "is published in the Gazette for general information.

We are requested to publish two further sub. dition was very pitiable. scriptions to the Kwangtung Inundation Relief \$38, the proceeds of an offertory at the recent Mid-China Missionary Conference held at Ningpo; and the other of \$164.57, forwarded through the Church Missionary Society by Bishop Burdon and others in England.

The N. C. Daily News, relates the following its policy abroad. A charge of Republican Prestory :- A foreigner at Shanghai, was recently sidents would, of course, byolve fewer changes trying to convice a native woman that it was a in this service than thereturn to power of the useless undertaking to pray to idols with eyes party hitherto in opposition; hence many new that cannot see, and ears which cannot hear, appointments to diplomattand consular positions "Maskee," said the woman, "My jess, my one have recently been made by the President. Some see, you joss you no can see at all." This is of the former incumbent, however, of consular rather a new light in which to put things. The posts are not to be removed, owing to their suwoman evidently thought she had the best of perior ability and the great zeal evinced by them

The operations at Thanh-mai are finished, but we class. He will be re-appointed to his post which have no information as to the results accomplished. he ably filled for more thin ten years, a great We will publish as soon as pessible the order of part of which was spent in Japan, and it is exthe day which in ordinary course always follows peoted that he will shirtly return from the expeditions of this kind. General Courcy re- United States whither hi recently went on leave turned to Hanoi after leaving Thanh-mai, and immediately left again to direct the operations of General Negrier's column in the direction of Hai-dzuong.

The Foochow Echo says :- " The two Commissioners. Shi and Wei, who were sent down from Peking to enquire into the military and bardment of Foochow and Formosa arrived at they were now making secret enquiry."

The return of the Collector of Stamp Revenue for the month of October is published in Saturday's Gazette. It shows that the revenue for the month amounted to \$11,098.92 as compared with \$12,305.32 in October, 1884, a decrease of \$1,206.40. The principal items of decrease were bills of exchange and promissory notes amounting to \$1,010.10 and adhesive stamps \$994.35. There was a sensible increase in the sums derived from bills of lading, conveyances and assignments, transfer of shares, and bank cheques

The following returns of the average amount of Bank notes in circulation and of specie in reserve in Hongkong, during the month-ended banks, are published in the Saturday's Gazette:—

Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London, and China. Chartered Rank of India. Australia, and China Hongkong and Shanghai 2,321,274 Banking Corporation

H. M. gunboat Paring, Commander Davies, from Holhow 5th latant, arrived here on Satur-The British elod Penasus, Commander H. T.

for Port Hamilton The Manila Contrice says advices from all the provinces are to the effect that the ground is dried up for want drsin and the crops lost. Our contemporary, while lamonting this state of things, recommend the establishment of irrigation work, in order to revent its recurrence in

The Japan Gasettef the 27th October learns that seven cases of oblera were discovered by the officials that morning in a house close to the Hanazono bashi, opporte to the Public Gardens: Twelve new cases obholera were reported at Yokohama between tl 24th and the 26th October, seven of which ided fatally. Four cases giving that all had not gone well. The of the disease also tox place in Tokyo during the same period.

> hears, are to be applied with uniform setting her on fire before leaving. - Japan Mail meteorological instruents which may thus afford reliable meansf comparison. This is a were made on instruents differing much even in principles of constiction. The Astronomer hitherto, The daily ecords have been transmitted by wire for son time past.

At about eight o'clk last evening a Chinese held upon it to day.

The Foochew Dail Echo of 31st October states :-- Lin Ngo the esent Tao-t'ai of Taiwanfoo (Formosa), who see time ago arrived hero under escort, has bee cast into the prison of the Provincial Judge: Ie is impeached by H. E. Liu Ming-chuan und ten charges; two of which are very serious Of course, the punishment will be meted outo him from the Cabinet of Peking. Our reads will remember that residents of Taiwan an Takao with an address

The Comercio publises a list of the insurances in force on the piperty destroyed in the recent fire on the Esdta, Manila, Those on the establishment of Auts and Co. amounted to \$203,000, on the Bazir Filipino to \$68,000. on the Bots de Oro to640,000, on Secker and Co.'s establishment \$3900, and on Van Camp's establishment realisedat auction \$875. The largest line of insurant was one of \$62,000 in Lutz and Co.'s establisment. We do not find either of our local empanies included in the West

The Chinese transprt Meefoo, from Hankow, left again for Foochy on the 3rd inst. The Daily News says thatn the 25th ult. Captain Petersen was awardi a mandarin's button of p.m." the 5th rank, and 820 were given him to be divided, a hundred doars to himself and the remainder among the cw. Each sailor and firemon thus received atut \$3. Captain Petersen was assured by Gened Wu, who wears an imupon him. The docment which accompanies the decoration bearshe imprint of the seal of Potersen and assured im of his favour.

The Catholic Regist says :- "The other day His Excellency the Gernor of the province of Manila was shown St. ceeph's College by His Lordship the Bishop. An address in Spanish was read by one of the upils, to which His Excollency answered withery suitable and sympathotic words. He impossed on the boys the great truth that leading without virtue will published in the Government Gazette proclaim. feel satisfaction. His Excellency visited the ing the ports of Osaka, Hiogo, and Kobe, in classes one by one, exatining, the works done Mr. Cooke, the Assistant Secretary of the Comand satisfied. From St. Joseph's College His Excellency went with Bihop Raimondi to the Italian convent, where is young ladies played in such a masterly sile some of the most difficult pieces of music a to reflect great oredit was very much pleased with all the different branches of charity whice are so well carried on

by the good Sisters of Garity."

The constantly increasing difficulties which beset the Ainos in their struggle for existence have, says the Japan Mail, enlisted the sympathy of the Cental Government. The A statement of receipts and disbursements for Profect of Sappore obtaned leave, last fall, to the colony of Hongkong for the third quarter of inaugurate a system of gricultural instruction Sara district, Hitaka preince, and Yufaten disarea of land cleared and citivated by 273 families of the ball. was 95.81 cho (239 acres) such family cultivating not less than three-quarters of an acre and not vegetables. It is stated that the Aines who received instruction had then accustomed to feed upon mots and forest fruts, and that their con-

The diplomatic servic of the United States has usually been considered of such importance the Government that almost every change of administration has also poduced greater or lesser changes in the personel of the service, the Government deeming it accessary that it should have both willing and capble representatives of for their country's interest under former administrations. Mr. Julius Stahel, Consul-General L'Avenir du Tonkin of the 31st Oct. says :- to Shanghai, is reported as belonging to this

lean's circular dated Shanghai, 3rd November :- Time is passing stiftly enwards, and we also charged with having incited the growd to this step of real progress. We have only now cleared up fine with a fresh north-westerly breeze are now within measurable distance of the close of season 1885, yet there is no sign of relief, nor ray of hope to overbutthened holders. The defendants. naval affairs connected with the French bom- spirit of quietness-of general contrariety, in fact, continues to shape or govern their markets. on Friday he was on duty in Queen's-road Cen-Foothow from Formosa some time ago; they Throughout the past week dulness, aggravated tral, when the procession came by, going in a took up their quarters at the Arsenal, and re- by unfavourable advices from Hankow, has pre- westerly direction. Opposite the Sun Ki shop, ceived no visitors but the Viceroy and the late vailed; prices for English staples, although still No. 140, the procession stopped, and the bearers Tartar General Muh, and it is reported that fairly upheld in private, have given way in public of the dragon caracoled their tinsel monster sale, and Exchange for the last couple of days from one side of the road to the other, and into and the Rev. Charles Stanley leaves by the day morning until Sunday, the 18th, the effort quoted steady—is td. per tael lower than it was the side pavements, under the verandahs. They Kewshing for your place as Foreign Secretary was persisted in. But the current kept drifting on 27th ult. The disturbing element at Han- came to where he was standing, on the sidewalk, to Prince Ming of Kores; the latter will go via the ship to the eastward from Ooshime, and when kow is not easily definable. Its principal components are either a great scarcity, or a superthe dragon rush in. He considered, however, that
abundance of rain, and a denominance of poverthey had no right to come upon the path in that
Peking, he has been very busy at his yamen;

on the Sunday a steamer came in sight Captain

Bince H.E. Li Hung-chang returned from
Peking, he has been very busy at his yamen;

vessel. The steamer, which proved to be the U. ty and suffering in some important district manner, and that they ought to keep to the road, nothing will be done for the present in regard S. S. Ossipes, at once bore down, and Capt Mosomewhere beyond. But it is by no means clear and he consequently refused to move, and mo- to defence preparations in addition to that settled Glensey promptly consented to tow the Anna into whether these or either of them is anything tioned them back. The first defendant was one last July, until, in fact, the arrival of Marquis Coshima harbour. There was a pretty heavy sea more than the accounts of last summer's floods of the men who was clearing the way for the Tsong from Great Britain; he is a member of running, and passing a hawser from the Ossipee "brought forward." He this, however, as it dragon, and when he refused to move, he struck the Board of Defence, and his presence is cousi- to the Anna proved a work of considerable diffimay, the "Hankow buyers" here have "shut witness on the face with his fist. Witness dered of great importance before any further oulty and some danger. However, the task was up," and their story is that their principals want | seized the man, and he was at once set upon by a | step can be taken. no more goods at present. For our other depen- crowd of men, who rescued the prisoner, and the dencies—saving of American imports for Tien- third defendant struck him on the shoulder with ing of the Grand Council, Her Majesty urged the seamanship of Captain McGlensey and his tsin few purchases have been made, but the a bamboo. The second defendant also spat in upon them to attend at once to the opening of officers. Once in Coshima the Asna was out of Slat October, 1885, as supplied by the respective past week's clearances, as declared by the Cus- his face, shouting "Kill the foreign devil." toms, reach a goodly total, a confirmation of Witness beat a retreat into No. 5 Station, roads, &c.; this has been adopted. the belief that a much larger business has been pursued by the crowd, but he got in safely with ANOUNT RESERVE of late transacted than the public were aware of. the loss of his helmet, which was knocked off his reconsidered, and the Anglo-Chinese Bank ques- position, so that she might be sailed to Kobe. To Nagasaki-Korea the transhipment of heavy head. He got assistance at the Station, and tion has been revived; through the influence, it The damage sustained turned out, however to be 90,000 shirtings-indent settlements of long ago came out again, and he pointed out the is said, of Prince Chun, Yen Ching-ming, and much more serious than he had at first anticipathave been on a very liberal scale. Indeed, first defendant to P. C. James, but the Li Hung-chang.—Mercury Correspondent. 500,000 the natives not in the swim-ever that the mar. man directly afterwards struck him on the head

year 171 vessels of an aggregate tennage of turbance until he motioned the dragon off the refused to canction the understanding that his 95.039 entered the ports of Quinhon and Touron. | footpath. as compared with 67 vessels of 45,246 tons during. P.C. James, No. 42, stated that while under Korea is apparently, either going to assert its the corresponding period of 1884. The clear- the vorandah of No. 5 Station he saw P.C. Fowler independence to both China and Japan, or these ances were 157 vessels of 94,264 tons, as company running thither pursued by a crowd of Chinese. two are going to squabble for the mastery there ed with 5% of 36,475 tons in the first half of He put on his uniform and went with other con- -at all events trouble is expected before long.

arrived at Yokohama on the 26th October from as soon as the man gave the blow, and chased him the control of the military and naval forces that Hakodate reports falling in with a dismasted along Queen's-road asfar as Aberdeen street, when are to be organised, besides other matters. For and radderless Japanese schooner drifting to the hecanghtandarrestedhim. The man showed fight, reigners have for some time past pointed northward. The schooner, the Junko Maru, and resisted his arrest, and there was an exchange out to the Imperial authorities the irreowned by Mr. Takeshita, sailed from Shinagawa of blows between him and witness. The crowd gularity of the position occupied by Li Chungfor Yokkaichi on the 15th inst. and was dismasted tried to resone the man as witness took him to trang, and the expediency of centralizing the in the gale of the 16th, and the rudder having No. 5 Station, but there were six other constables direction of the army at Peking instead of leavshortly after carried away, the helpless vessel there, who prevented his resoue, and he was ing it in the hands of the Vicercy; and it apwas at the mercy of the Kuro Shiwo from the "run in." Witness then came into the street pears that the same opinion as to Li's anomalous date of the accident till picked up by the Touruga. again, and P.C. Fowler having pointed out the position has occurred to the Emperor's advisers. Fortunately they were well provisioned and had second prisoner, he chased the man into a shop, and that measures are to be taken to remedy enough water; but during the time they were and arrested him there in spite of his resistance. this state of affairs. drifting about they never saw a vessel of any The crowd was very excited, and shouting "ta." description till picked up by the stamer. None of the crew were lost, and they were all taken chant residing at No. 136, Queen's-road Central, come to China. I heard the other day that Mr. All the Customs stions, the Foothow Echo off by Captain Hussey, the master of the schooner He saw the procession go past, and noticed the O'Conor will not be disturbed till next year.

L'Avenir du Tonkin says:—"For some time past our countrymen engaged in conveying provisions to the different ports have been hardly pressed. Lately a junk which left Haiphong for Phulang-thuong, having on board M. Delaby, Haiphong merchant, was attacked by pirates After a vigorous defence, the unfortunate Frenchman in charge of the boat was killed and the pillage of the vessel commenced. farmer met with his path in East-street, Tai- authorities at Haiphong, as soon as they heard pingshan. The decend had been deranged in of the affair, sent the gunboat Revolver to the his mind for some fin, and it is supposed that place. This vessel obtained confirmation of the when he sprang out of the window of his room, goods. A few days later two junks belonging on the second floor, nto the street. He fell to the Leroy firm, of Hanoi, were stracked and upon his head, and died his brains out, death | chased in the Canal des Rapides. We recombeing instantaneous. The body was removed to | mend those whose business takes them into the the Mortuary, and alinquest will probably be country to be very careful in their enterprises

> LATE TELEGRAMS. LONDON, 6th November.

FRANCE AND BURMAH. The report of the Committee of the Chamber of Deputies on the Treaty of Commerce with Burmah favours the extension of French trade in the interior of the Peninsula and the establishment of French influence in Luang and Phra-

> ANOTHER TYPHOON IN THE PHILIPPINES.

The Spanish Consul courteously forwards to us the following telegram received on Saturday from the Manila Government :--

MANILA, 7th November. A typhoon is approaching from the East of the Helvetin Insurance Co., and the next \$50,000. Luzon. It is now to the E.S.E. of Manila. Its direction appears to be West quarter North to open their boxes saying that they had lost

Under date of the 7th instant, the following message was received from the Hongkong Goarrived at Shanghai'n the 30th October, and | vernment Telegraph :- "The cone indicating a typhoon south of the colony was hoisted at

The Government Astronomer, under date of vesterday, says :--- "The barometer is falling." The typhoon announced crossed Luzon last night. pondent. A strong N.N.W. gale was reported from Bo-The patrictic subscription opened at Manila perially presented ylow riding jacket, that lines at 9 p.m. Fine weather is expected here. The south cone was hoisted at Tsim-tsa-tsui last night. The temperature is rising, the humidity the deceased Vicero Tao. At Nanking the is moderate, and the weather fine along the Vicercy of the Liang Kiang sent for Captain south coast of Chins. It is overcast and sultry N.E. of Hongkong."

THE "GLENFRUIN" RAISED.

The steamer Glenfruin was floated on Saturday morning, and the removal of the cargo from the after part of the ship was at once proceeded with. The expeditious manner in which the raising has been accomplished reflects great

credit on the Dock Company, and especially on pany, who has personally directed and superintended the work. It is intended to dock the vessel to-day. Yesterday afternoon she was towed out from shore, but was still drawing too much water aft to go into dock, her cargo not on them and their teahers. His Excellency having been all got out. A number of people went down to see her during the day.

CRICKET MATCH.

A. TO L. V. M. TO Z.

A match under the above title was played on Saturday but could not be completed owing to the very heavy scoring of the first half of the proposed? Will be consent to allow the the current year is published in Saturday's for the Ainosunder his juisdiction, commencing alphabet, and especially of Mr. Graham, of the \$334,528.95; the total expenditure \$372,933.70. | years. In pursuance of his scheme, regions in ting quickly put together a capital score of 113, centralise authority at Peking, and has aided discharging her cargo, but is not expected to April. The poor people are said to have extendible the strengthen the hands of the Imperial get off till the high tides.

April. The poor people are said to have exhibited the greatest dilignes and docility. The of the bail.

The following is the score :-C. E. Bowles, o Piurabe, b Wood M. D. Graham, b Stepherd 113 W. H. F. Darby, st. Wood, b Maturin 43

M. To. Z.

Major Riddell, ib w. b Lloyd.

C. P. Pedler, st. Form, b Darby 12

W. P. McLean, not out 3 R. M. Rumeey Capt. Maturin A. de C Scanlan J. H. Plumbe H. N. Thompson A. Shepherd A. S. Parkin

7th November. BEFORE MR. H. E. WODEHOUSE

POLICE COURT.

THE PROCESSION DISTURBANCE. commit a breach of the peace.

Fowler stated that shortly before one o'clock kets of the West Kingdom are being filled to with a bamboo. P.S. Campbell arrested the The news from Korea is that the Queen has Yusen Kaisha's steamer Sateuma-maru, to tow satisty, and yet they themselves continue to swell second and third defendants. There was a large had two friends of Dai In Kun decepitated, and the Auna back to Hiogo.

During the first six months of the present out "kill the foreign devils." There was no dis- The King has received his mode coully, and has

stables to Fowler's assistance. He saw Fowler The Tsuruga Maru, Captain Hussey, which defendant. Witness went for the first defendant Prince Chun is coming to Tientsin to assume

> footpath in the manner described by Fowler. humble cervant of Sir Robert Hart. The last and a Chinaman come out from under the N. C. Daily News Correspondent. verandah struggling together. The constable was struck by a number of Chinamen, one of whom hit him on the head with a pole. The constable then ran towards the Station pursned by the crowd, who were angry and excited. The way the dragen was carried on that occasion and the results generally garnered, the proceeds. was calculated to incommode passengers both in not a small quantity, finding their way into on the read and on the footpath. Witness saw market. Reports from all directions are favourthe constable knocked down, and he was able to able, the yield of the main crops being above an swear to the first and second prisoners as have average, except in low-lying districts which were ing been concerned in the assault upon him. The flooded. By the way, it is noteworthy that the first prisoner was the man with whom the con- Punjab a reported to have been under floods stable was struggling in the first instance, and just when we had them here. the second-struck him with a pole as he was On the 14th of this month our first real frost

was in his room when the call for assistance a dense hear front and a thin crust of ice covered came, and going out on to the verandah the water. It has been frosty every night he saw Fowler running bareheaded to the since, and stoves are in requisition. On the Station pursued by a mob of Chinamen. He early morning of the 15th, the zinias, morning got his revolver and truncheon, ordered out all glory. "Fonchow creeper" and our few other the police in the Station, and went down to flowering plants were quite dead, and oven the Fowler's assistance. He saw Fowler point out large leaves of the gigantic castor plant and the first and second defendants, and they were sunflower with the vinclest, and whatever of arrested at once.

The case was remanded at this stage until to- sniums and other plents which "dread" the morrow, the defendants being allowed bail in frost were potted on that day lest evil should one surety of \$100 each.

SWATOW.

29th October. A good seizure of opinm was made on board the steamer Haiphong on her arrival from Amoy. It appears that on account of the steamer Grayhound affair a search for arms among the passengers was ordered by Captain Ashton. Mr. Hunter, the chief officer, caused here and there a box to be opened; among the passengers there low freezing point.—N. C. Daily News Corres-were several Sea tools' and when it came to their pondent. turn to have their luggage examined they refused their keys. The boxes were immediately looked up in a room, and upon opening the door some hours after, a strong smell of opium was perceived. Upon arrival of the steamer here they were handed over to the Customs Authorities,

boxes and what little clothing there was in them to the owners. Mr. A. Lay is acting as Commissioner here during the absence of Mr. C. Jamieson on the Frontier Commission.—Amoy Gasette Corres-

TAMSUL.

26th October. M.'s Consul here Mr. Frater, has been transfer- adherents who might otherwise have been found red to Canton, and he will leave for his new post on the side of the Bin faction. Even now the on the arrival of his successor, Mr. Giles, who Nichi Nichi Shimbun says plainly that the has been appointed Consul for Tameni,

three and a half years, but at the same time won kun's early cares. The question which they have to congratulate them on leaving such seems most difficult to answer, though much a small and unhealthy place and going to a large | depends on the answer, is whether the old Reand important port.

from Foochow yesterday. winds, -- Mercury Consepondent.

NINGPO

The members of the Ningpo Rowing Club and several of our community assembled on board the Ichana on Saturday to wish our Shanakei this view, for though as yet the Koreans 2nd November. the Ichang on Saturday to wish our Shanghai have given no indication of that wonderfully rowing friends good-bye. Messrs. Huchting patriotic spirit which enabled the Japanese to and Dowdall expressed a hope that when the cast aside their old prejudices and make such rival crews met again Ningpo would be in a bet- large sacrifice to secure national unity, the ter position as regards boats, in which the events of the past three years have forced the Shanghai crew had the advantage, not counting popular kingdom to abandon her attitude of the choppy water which Ningpo had to pull isolation, and the most bigoted conservative in through, and which nearly filled their boat. Soul must now see that unless he moves with Major Watson responded. He said that when the times he will be left hopelessly behind. The Ningpo got into their sliding seats they would real danger to the peace of the country probably go to Shanghai and lick them-a remark which lies in the enmity of the Queen's faction to the called forth much enthusiasm. After health- old Regent. Unless the Tai-won-kun behaves drinking, and hearty hand-shaking, the steamer with a degree of circumspection for which he the cheers resounded until we finally lost sight scene of another disturbance ere long. We beof our Shanghai friends, to whom we wish every lieve, however, that this contingency is fully prosperity.—Mercury Correspondent.

SHANGHAI.

The steamer Kowshing met with an accident in the Peiho, and went into the Old Dock on the 1st inst. Her rudder broke off close to the upper pintle, and the stern post is badly bent or else

The Chinese Lekin Office has engaged the which the German ship Anne became disabled

broke from the chain gang while proceeding heavy west-south-westerly swell was setting in along Honen Road. One man was immediately the wind fast increasing, and the barometer incaptured, but the others got away. Information dicating 29.60. Sail was gradually reduced on was conveyed to the stations, and before 6 p.m. the ship as the wind and sea increased, and by four more of the runaways had been captured. | eight o'clock p.m. she was under lower top-One of them was a noted Tientain desperado who sails. By this time a heavy confused sea was had been sentenced to three years' imprisonment. | running, the barometer falling rapidly, and He was captured inside a Chinese grave. It every appearance of unusually had weather appears the convicts got possession of one of the The Anna was then hove to on the starboard keys to the locks on their chain, and bought tack, in order to keep out of the influence of the another. Each key opened two locks, so that Kuro Siwa. About nine o'clock a terrific squall when four looks were opened, the men were free. struck the ship, throwing her on her beam ends, We have often wondered that escapes are not and as she showed no signs of righting Captain more numerous, seeing that there are so few Hellmers ordered the main lower-topsail sheets

policemen to look after the chain gang. Lok Achee, coolies, were charged with having gratulated on the success of their efforts to meter showed the lowest record-28.85—during duty on the 6th inst. The third defendant was be introduced into the city, and the Tao-tai on of the 16th the wind moderated and the weather residents in the Settlement .- Daily Nows. -

TIENTSIN.

27th October.

the resources of China in regard to minerals, all danger, and a more thorough examination

29th October.

and very excited crowd, who were all shouting their bodies borne through the streets at Scoul.

Highness made with Li Chung-t'ang: so that An uneasy feeling is said to exist at Peking

It is very curious that as yet we have had no Mr. Thomas Ide Howler said he was a mer- news as to the British plenipotentiary who is to dragon being run under the verandah on to the Meantime he is reported to be the most obedient He saw a check made in the dragon's process, name I have heard mentioned as that of the pro-and directly after he saw a European constable bable new Minister is Sir Douglas Foreyth.—

MOUKDEN.

Harvest operations are everywhere concluded

attacked us. The day said he next morning early the ground was white with green was showing, began to shrivel up. Gerbefall them. Everything indeed showed the commencement of our long winter. The weather, however, which the early frosts give us, is de-

> I do hat recollect having heard on any pre "bitter" as applied to hearfrost. The "sweet" is that which is heary without frost and does not injure vegetation ; the "bitter" is that which follows close on the heels of the other and dastroys vegetation, for it brings a temperature be-

The Korean correspondent of the Nichi Nichi Shimbun confirms the news sent by our own correspondent, namely, that the Tai-won-kun has changed his political opinions, and that the effect of exile has been to make him an advocate who confiscated the opium, and returned the of national progress. It was easy to foresee that his return would never have been permitted unless the Chinese Government or rather the Vicercy Li, had been quite satisfied as to his altered mood. For our own part we doubt whether the Tai-won-kun was at any time so strong a conservative as his acts in 1882 seemed to imply. The insurrection which he headed was directed chiefly against the ascendancy of the Queen's family. Its anti-foreign By last steamer the news arrived that H. B. phase was probably assumed merely to attract predominant influence of the Queen's family is The foreign residents regret very much losing against the interest of the little Kingdom, and Mr. and Mrs. Frater, who have been here for bints that to lessen it will be one of the Taigent is lightly to be thwarted or opposed by The Chinese gunboat Wan Nien Ching arrived those who formerly espoused his cause for the sake of its conservatism. Our Tokyo contem-The weather is fine and cool, with fresh N.E. porary apparently thinks that Korean politics are not unlikely to follow the same course as that followed by Japanese politics after the Restoration, when the party which had undertaken the medialization of the Government under the banner of national isolation, was almost imleft the wharf, where, amidst firing of erackors, has not hitherto obtained credit, Soul may be the foreseen by the Governments of China and Japan alike, and efficient steps will doubtless been taken to prevent it .- Japan Mail.

> THE DISASTER TO THE GERMAN SHIP "ANNA."

We are informed that the circumstances under

services of Mr. A. Wilson, ex-Inspector of Police, and was obliged to return to Hiogo are as follow. as Superintendent of the runners engaged in the On the 15th instant the vessel commenced her Settlements in seizing opium that has not paid voyage, and the pilot. Mr. Taylor, left at five o'clock the same evening off Cape Hino. The On the 31st ult., at about 2.30 p.m., eight men Anna was then heading to the south-west, a to be slackened-away. Owing to the tremendous We have much pleasure in stating that an pressure there was a great jerk when the sail was other step has been advanced by the native released, and this so injured the maintopgalauthorities towards supplying the Shanghai city lant mast that it went over the side, bringing with clean water. The Taot'ai has granted with it the fore and mizzen topgallant masts permission to lay the water pipes in the city, also. After this the wreckage was out and has appointed Mr. O. Fock to negotiate adrift, and the Anna then gradually righted. with the Shanghai Waterworks Company to this The sea was now breaking over the vessel and end. We believe Mr. Fock, Mr. Hart, and a washing away all small unsecured articles, inweignen will go into the city on the 4th inst. deed the Anna must have experienced the full for the purpose of having the streets surveyed. violence of the typhoon which did so much dam-Kong Amun, ricepounder, and Li Alung and The Waterworks'- Company are to be con- age along the coast. About midnight the baroassaulted P. S. Fowler in the execution of his induce the Chinese authorities to allow water to the storm, and after two o'clock in the morning to hope that the Company will find the natives All hands were now busily at work to repair dam-Mr. Wotton defended the second and third in the city readier to use the pure water offered ages, but in addition to the loss of the topgallant to them than has been the case with the Chinese musts Captain Hellmers found that the mainyard had become useless, the lifts and trusses having carried away or been broken. Under these circumstances it was manifestly imprudent to attempt continuing the voyage, and he determined to return to Kobe. The vessel was ac-Mr. W. H. N. Pethick has left for Peking, cordingly headed in this direction, and from Frion the Sunday a steamer came in sight Captain From Peking we learn that at the late meet- prompt style that reflected the utmost credit upon

than had previously been practicable was made The scheme of Government financing has been to ascertain if temporary spars could be got in ed, and Captain Hellmers accordingly made arrangements with Captain Conner, of the Nippon

Hongkong, 6th November, 1885.

T. JACKSON, ly set out again to superintend the operations of General NEGRIER's column in the

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VESSELS ADVERTISED AS LOADING.

MR. JOHN RUSSELL YOUNG ON CHINA AND THE CHINESE.

Following the short interview about Chin with Mr. John Russell Young, lately Minister to that country, which the Herald published on the morning after his arrival in New York, a Chine and his experiences among the Chinese glory, who, in fact, look upon the military class people, which is given below. He said it was difficult to explain, except at so great a length as to be a trespass upon the columns of the Herald, many interesting phases of Chinese life, politics. and civilization, the problem was so unlike any. thing to be found at home-varied, vast, and

We give below some extracts from the Herald's account of the interview :--"Did you enjoy life in China?" Mr. Young

was asked. "I can't say that I enjoyed my life there," he responded, "although I found it most interesting in every way. Life in Peking is a good deal like living in a monastery. It is a small colony, composed of the legations, with their attaches and families, the customs service, the English missionaries, the Roman Catholic priests and priests of the Greek Church. All of these branches of public and prirate service, of course, live mainly among themselves and form their own society. I should when they meet socially are on the fête days of the different nationalities, such as the birthday cept your hospitality at a midday entertainment. So on New Year's, when the Chinese call upon you, and on their New Year's day, which is some weeks later, when we call upon them, on which occasions the entertainments and hospitalities are profuse, especially on the part of the Chinese who are very liberal as hosts, and give you much courtesy of a kind that requires an education to comprehend, which very few foreigners have been able to attain. I remember one occasion when a dinner was given in Canton to a distinguished foreigner which was composed" of seventy-five courses. Peking hospitality was not as profuse as this, but it was profuse

THE TSUNG LI VAMEN "With these exceptions, the only intercourse you have with the Chinese is when you go to them officially or when they come to you in the honour of the event, at which I was present. same way. This is done by appointment at the His speech was, to my mind, a complete over public affairs. Foreign affairs in China are governed by a board of Ministers called the Tsung Li Yamen, presided over by a prince of the imperial family. Prince Kung was for many years the head of this Board, and when I went to China he received me on behalf of the Emperor. The Emporer, you know, is a minor, and public affairs, although conducted in his name, are tic experience in China to which I look back dowager. These dignitaries are advised by a grand council, composed of the highest officers of the Empire, and, although the decrees from the throne comprise the absolute and sacred will of the sovereign, it was generally understood that they really meant the deliberations of this body of Ministers. The Tsung Li Yamen is really a committee of this grand conneil charged

with the control of foreign affairs." "Did you find the members of the Tsung L Yamen skilled in public affairs or acquainted with foreign questions?"

"I found them, as a general thing, extremely bright and dever men, from the Chinese point means that you have undergone a system of education more severe, perhaps, than that known in any other country of the world. I was ourious to know how the education of the gifted Chinamen of high rank would compare with what we are supposed to find in our own country or in Europe. I remember saying to one of the most distinguished scholars in China, an officer of the highest grade, when we were dining together that I would like to ask him what constituted the education of Chinaman who had succeeded in entoring the Ministry, telling him of my desire for a comparison, and he said, Certainly, I asked him if he knew anything about Homer. He had never heard of Homer. Was he acquainted with Virgil. Never heard of Virgil Shakespeare was unknown to him. So down the list of eminent literary mon—all unknown to him. I then took up the list of sovereigns and commanders. He had heard of Alexander on account of the invasion of India. He knew something of Casar in a vague way, but was not quite certain who he was. He had never heard of Hannibal nor of Peter the Great nor of any modern commander except Napoleon, and of Grant because of personal acquaintance with him. We talked of astronomy, mathematics, the science of medicine, mechanics and all the ordinary topics that come up in conversation, and they were to him an unknown world. The attainments that we look upon as requisite for a man to be called a scholar thay ignore or look down upon and des-

STUDIES AND LITERATURE. "Then I said, 'What do you learn?' and he gave me a sketch of the studies -the classics, always; Confucius, Mencius, the theories of government, the postry of China (which, by the way, is in many respects very beautiful), the history of their country, with a tendency, I observed, to verbal accuracy in committing to monory the sayings and laws of the great men. When I expressed some surprise at the neglect by the Chinese scholars of what we consider so important to a proper knowledge of mm and things he re-

"Well, we can do nothing about it. It is nothing to us. That is your civilization, and you learn it; we have ours and we learn ours. For centuries we have gone on satisfied to know what we know. Why should we care to know what you know ? 1

LI HUNG-CHANG'S POLICY.

It was Li Hung-chang who brought about the peace between China and France and between Chins and Japan. His policy has been one of peace and preparation, recognizing the fact that Chins was not strong enough to cope with the more aggressive and better equipped Western Powers. In doing this Li had to perform a Benares (Old)...... 530 nom. very patriotic, as I think, and at the same time painful part. During recent complications he quite understood the situation—the ON LONDON. weakness of China-and at the same time he had to contend against a powerful war party, who showed the valour that comes only from ignorance. In the long run Li, supported by the English legation, the American legation, Sir Robert Hart, and the general sentiment of diplomatic bodies of Peking, won. The history of this coninteresting, but of course it belongs to the secret | ON PARIS. archives of the government, and I am not in s position to speak on the subject.

"Li always showed a desire to be polite to America. Certainly no statesman in China ever gave me more evidence of friendship and esteem. It was through his influence that we obtained control of the great Chinese fleet, certainly personal act on his own part. I have reason to remember many courtesies on the part of In and an unvarying attention and kindness." PRANCE IND CHINA.

"Referring to the allusion you made to the unpleasantness between China and France, what, in your opinion, would have been the outcome, of a protracted struggle? Was Chine in a position to defend herself successfully from the power of France?"

" "China, I think, made a much stronger contest. with France than people imagine. You know in Union Insurance Society of Canton, Limitedall the publications about the French and Chinese troubles the side of China was not heard. Her China Traders' Insurance Company's Sharespeople had no access to the press, and did not care to have didn't know what the press was. North China Insurance-Tls. 300 per share. But France discovered, I think, after she had Yangtsze Insurance Association-Tls. 122 per entered upon the enterprise of frightening lic opinion would approve, that the Chinese were prepared for a fifty years' war. It On Tai Insurance Company, Limited-Tls. 148 would have taken a hundred thousand men, in per share.

subject there is at least reasonable hope of the war would have made China stronger that he succeeded in reaching a place of and France weaker. The Chinese were sullen, safety before the full force of the storm negative, resolute, and, as Li said to me one day. was experienced. That nothing has been heard he would rather have China swept off the face of from him is, under the circumstances, of but lit- the globe and perish forever from the memory of the weight either one way or another. He had, it appears, expressed an intention of staying at Cape-Hino for a time, and if there he is without What really brought about the peace between means of communication with Kobe. At any rate China and France, I think, was France's those who ought to know hold a firm opinion dread of a war between England and Russia. that he could have experienced no difficulty in The French government saw plainly enough that gaining refuge before the stor.n became too vio- in the event of such a complication it would not be advantageous to have a large contingent of her army melting away in the tropical regions of Annam. From the time that the rumours of the war became lively the peace proposals were advanced. France resisting all the time, but finally conceding more than China would have asked in the beginning, and I think very wisely. There was no glory to France in a war with China She is too great a country to exult in conquer Herald reporter had a further and more extended ing a peaceful people like the Chinese; who have talk with Mr. Young in reference to:nffairs in no desire for aggrandizement or for military as the lowest, perhaps, in their civilization; who have been living for centuries in their communes, troubling nobody, inviting no tresposs practising their simple forms of life and faith. industrious, gentle and kindly, and seeking to solve what to them was a very serious problem with their vast population, of finding enough food for themselves and their children." CHINA MAND JAPAN.

"You referred to the peace between China and Japan. What was the question between the two countries?" "From the time that the Chinese and French came to an abrasion and suspension of relations. the policy of France, so it appeared to some of us in Peking, was to induce Japan to break relations with China. The value of this would have been to have given France three open ports -Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama-all three good ports, through which Japan, as the ally of France, would have enabled France to have say there are a hundred and fifty foreign souls in operated apon China. I think it is due to the and I was only too glad to co-operate with him in what I believed to be the policy that was in race, religion, interest and sympathies, and however much I may have respected France or sympathized with the desire of that great country to extend her civilization and to impress the Oriental nations with the wisdom and beauty of her material achievements, the idea of setting China and Japan at war-a war which would have been ungenerous, extended, and exterminating-was simply revolting. There was no real reason for China and Japan quarrelling, and there never can be one, except reasons that arise from nations to encourage. Japan, through Count Ito, affine. Li was very much gratified at the Foreign Office, especially if you want to see the Prince, or by appointment at your own legation if the Prince or the Ministers, as they sometimes did, felt a desire to call upon you to talk peror of Japan, invited Li to visit his country peror of Japan, invited Li to visit his country and be its guest, gratified the Viceroy extremely. This occurred the night before I left Tientsin.

> "Sir Harry Parkes was an eminent man in might say my constant companion for the last eighteen months of his life. In many points, ter, his high, imperious, haughty temper he was apt at times to press and impel the Chinese. On his point we never agreed, and we discussed the policy of gentleness, patience, of quite understandaccomplished it, would bring about results, and I did not believe that the theory of Parker, duty, was the true one. Of course I can't say which in the long run would be popular, but you must remember that there is in China a public on the part of a Peking Minister which looks like aggression. Somehow, as Gordon wrote in a famous letter that was very much criticised, the tendency of the mind of foreigners in China is to look apon the Chinese as a people to be kicked; to be hewers of wood and carriers of water, and that the only rights to be respected are the rights to serve and obey. Well, if any vance into Chins on those lines, to adopt the

upon it as the repetition of a historical fact.
"But in considering these speculations highest respect."

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Peking, a city of a million Chinese and Tartars.

The only relations between the Chinese and else to prevent Japan from forming this alliance, else to prevent Japan from forming this alliance. of the Queen of Great Britain or the Emperor There was nothing to be gained by a war between these two nations. They were kindred Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares-\$155 per ambition, which it is not the part of peaceful Perak Tin Mining and Smelting Company Admiral Enometto, and Count Inouys, and China, Punjom and Sunghie Dua Samatan Mining through the Prince and Li Hung-chang showed the wisest statesmanship in arranging their Solangor Tin Mining Company—\$13 per share.

> and I look back upon it with the greatest of pleasure, because it was the end of a negotiation that had given great concern and trouble and care to Sir Harry Parkes and myself for two or with more pleasure than to have been able to join with that distinguished Minister in preventing an unnecessary and cruel war." A FIGURE IN ENGLISH DIPLOMACY.

"Yes, the death of Parkes was a great loss to the English service. He was a bold, striking, towaring figure, the type of an aggressive Engishman, thoroughly imbued with the sentiment of loyalty to his country and his crown; in private life a charming man, my personal friend, I bright and elever men, from the Chinese point of view and even from a foreign point of view. In China advancement comes through education, and to hold a place in one of these high councils, unless you are a prince of the blood, means that you have undergone a system of eduthing time and again. I had the idea that the ing what you wanted and never ceasing until you

though governed by a high sense of honour and opinion which you might call foreign public opinion in open ports that commends anything ower is bold enough and strong enough to ad-

policy of Napoleon or Casar, you may think of the morals of the enterprise, but you must look ought to be remembered that the great invasions of modern times have not been from Europe to China, but from Chinato Europe, and there is no reason in the world why we should invite a population of \$50,000,000, subtle and brave, to orga-

nize and murch, as they possibly could march, so far as natural circumstances are concerned, from Poking to Paris. We do not want to invite that problem. I do not say that the courage and genins of Western civilization would not throw the tille back, but why invite it? This I often, in talking with Parkes, advanced as my reason for a policy with which he did not agree, and sometimes rather scolded me about; but at the same time I never changed my mind. He was a noble, princely gentleman. His death is a great grief to me, and I have for his memory the very

to 32 catties.

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VESSEL'S NAME DESTINATION' CAPTAIN. TO BE DESPATCHED Pembrokeshire(str.) D. Davies Hongkong On 13th inst. LONDON, &c., VIA SUEZ CANAL' Adamson, Bell & Co..... Hongkong : LONDON, &c., VIA SUEZ CANAL P. & O. S. N. Co...... G. Scrivener ... To-morrow, at 4 P.M. LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL ... Hongkong Butterfield & Swire On 14th inst. Jardine, Matheson & Co... LONDON AND SURE CLASS. (Honogle (str.) Hogg Hongkong On or about 12th inst LONDON AND HAMBURG General Berthaut... Hongkong Carlowitz & Co.... Quick despatch. HAVRE, LONDON, &c... Papa Henne Hongkong Arnhold, Karberg & Co.... Quick despatch. Arnhold, Karberg & Co... C. Crowley... HAVRE AND LONDON Hongkong Quick despatch. Sismssen & Co. HAVRE, &c., VIA SUEZ CANAL. Christiansen . Hongkong On 18th inst. Olympia (str.) Messageries Maritimes MARSEILLES VIA SKIGON, &c. Saghalien (str.) Homory On 17th inst., at Noon NEW YORK Samuel D. Carleton Siemssen & Co..... Hongkong Freeman Quick despatch. NEW YORK Naupactus..... Hongkong Russell & Co..... Quick despatch. Lovitt..... Hongkong C. H. Allyn. Pustau & Co..... Quick despatch. NEW YORK John C. Smith Hongkong Arnhold, Karberg & Co... Quick despatch. Russell & Co. South American ... Frank Fowle ... Quick despatch. Dodd Russell & Co. · Nanaimo Honokong VICTORIA. B.C. Quick despatch. SAN FRANCISCO VIA YHAMA | San Pablo (str.)..... O. & O B. S. Co. On 14th inst., at 3 P.M O. & O. S. S. Co. Oceanie (str.) SAN FRANCISCO via Y'hama... On 26th inst., at 3 P.M. Hongkong Palmyra Minott SAN FRANCISCO Russell & Co..... Quick despatch. Williams PORT DARWIN, &c.... .Whampon (str.) ... Hongkong Butterfield & Swire On 18th inst., at 4 P.M. CALCUTTA VIA STRAITS. Hongkong Arratoon Apear (str.) A. B. Maotavish D. Sassoon, Sons & Co., On 14th inst., at 3 P.M. Tanais (str.) Paul KOBB AND YOKOHAMA Messageries Maritimes, Quick despatch. Denbighshire (str.) Cuming NAGASAKI, YOKOHAMA, &co. Adamson, Bell & Co. On or about 11th inst. NAGASAKI, KOBE, &c. Toheran (str.) P. & O. S. N. Co..... On 13th inst., Daylight Mace Molbonrno (str.) Mossagories Maritimes Quick despatch.

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Hongkong, 1st January, 1884. [18

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Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 B-5 per cent. premium. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 C-5 per cent.

HONGKONG TEMPERATURE. (Raon Museus, Falcones & Co.'s Register.) November 7th. Phermometer-I P.M. Congression to the constitution of the Transmitte'-1 e.a.... Charleschafer - t 8, 9, (West for 'th......

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CHINA_COAST_METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER. 6th November, 1885, at 4 r.y.

vonteck, 5 7th November, 1886, at 10 a.m. 50,28

The Barometer has fallen quickly over Luten owing to the approach of a typhoon, which will prohably traverse the China sea. The temperature and humidity are moderate. Overcast but fine weather with light winds prevails along the coast, but it is squally over Luzen. It blow a fresh w.r.z. breeze this morning at Bolinso, where also a heavy ground swell was observed.

7th November, 1885, at 4 F.M. 8th November, 1885, at 10 A.M. 0 5 29.99

The Barometer is failing. The typhoon aunounced vester-day crossed Luzon last night. A strong N.N.W. gale was reported from Bolicho at 9 p.m. Fine weather is expected here. The South cone was hoisted at Trim-tsa-tsni lust night. The temperature is rusing, the hundrid is moderate, and the weather fine along the south coast of China. It is overcast and sultry N.R. of Hongkong. W. DOBERCK. Hongkong Observatory, 7th November, 1885. METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

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"HAILOONG," Captain Wyllie, will be despatched for the above Forts TO-DAY, the 9th instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 6th November, 1885. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

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FOR MANILA VIA AMOY. THE Spanish Steamer "DON JUAN," Captain Marquez, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 10th instant, at Five P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to
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Hongkong, 6th November, 1885.

THE Steamship

General Managers.

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" DENBIGESHIRE." Cuming, Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports, on or about the 11th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to
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"GLENOGLE." Captain Hogg, will be despatched as above on or about the 12th November. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, 31st October, 1885. STEAM TO NAGASAKI, KOBE, AND Port, and will have quick despatch. YOKOHAMA.

For Freight, apply to THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship Hongkong, 27th October, 1885. "TEHERAN." will leave for the above places on FRIDAY, the 13th November, at DAYLIGHT. A. McIVER.

Superintendent Hongkong, 2nd November, 1885. OWNERS, will be RESPONSIBLE for any "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. of the following Vessels during their stay in FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG, VIA SUEZ CANAL. Hongkong Harbour :-THE Steamship ARRATOON APCAE, Brit. str., Mactavish.-D

"PEMBROKESHIRE, D. Davies, Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 13th instant. BILLY SIMPSON, Brit. bk., Brown - Captain. For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., CENTENNIAL, Amr. bk., T. M. Bearse.—Captain CICERO, Brit. str., A. George,-Arnhold, Kar-

Hongkong, 5th November, 1885. [1710 | CARIEBROORE Amr. str., Cass.—Order. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA.

"ARRATOON APCAR." Captain A. B. Mactavish, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 14th instant, at THREE P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONE & Co.,

Hongkoog, 3rd November, 1885. NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. FOR KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. THE Company's Steamer

"TANAIS." Captain Paul, will leave for the above Ports shortly after the arrival of the Mail steamer G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent. Hongkong, 6th November, 1885.

NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. FOR SHANGHAI. THE Company's Steamer

"MELBOURNE," Commandant Mace, will leave for the above Port shortly after her arrival with the French Mail from Europe. G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

Hongkong, 6th November, 1885. FOR HAVRE, LONDON, AND HAMBURG. THE 3/3 L. II German bark

Honne, Master, will lead here for the above Ports, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to
ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, 22nd September, 1885. FOR HAVRE AND LONDON. THE A 1 British Bark

"LUCIA," C. Crowley, Master, will lead here for the above Ports, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, 4th November, 1885.

VESSELS ON THE BERTH. STEAM FOR

SINGAPORE. PENANG, COLOMBO ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, BRINDISI, TRIESTE VENICE, PLYMOUTH, AND LONDON; BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND

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NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship instant. "HYDASPES," Capt. G. Scrivener, with Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for LONDON via BOMBAY and SUEZ CANAL, on TUESDAY, the 10th November, at FOUR P.M. TEN A.M. Parcols and Specie (Gold) at the here on or about the 10th instant.

Office until TEN A.M., on the day of sailing. Silk and Valuables for Europe will be transhipped at Colombo; Tea and General Cargo for London will be conveyed via Bombay without rive here on or about the 12th instant. transhipment, arriving one week later than by the ordinary direct route via Colombo. For further particulars regarding. FREIGHT and Passage apply to the Peninsular & arrive here on or about the 21st November.
ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S

Office, Hongkong. . The Contents and Value of Packages are required to be declared prior to shipment. Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's | occasionally) all that the addresses need do is to Black Bills of Lading. sengers for Marseilles.

A. McIVER, Croix, Master, will load here for the above Hongkong, 30th October, 1885.

> SHIP COMPANY. . TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO. CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE;

Dodd, Master, will load here for the above THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS. ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.

THE Steamship "SAN PABLO" will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokoat THERE P.M. Captain Freeman, will have quick despatch of To be followed by the Steamer "OCEANIC," on THURSDAY, the 26th November, at

THREE. P.M. Connection being made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports. All PARCEL PACHAGES should be marked to day, the 9th inst., at 11.30 A.M. Company's Office until Five P.M. the day previous to sailing.

RETURN PASSAGES.—Passengers, who have paid fall fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within six months, will be allowed a discount of 20 % from Return Fare; if re-embarking within one year. an allowance of 10 '/ will be made from Return Fare. Pre-Paid Return Passage Orders, available for one year, will be issued at a Discount P.M. of 25 % from Return Fare. These allowances do not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo des-tined to Ports beyond San Francisco should be the Collector of Customs, San Francisco. or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50A. Queen's Road Central. C. D. HARMAN, Acting Agent. Hongkong, 23rd October, 1885.

NOTICE COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. - PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

Captain Riley, will be despatched as above FOR NEW YORK.

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SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, CO-LOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MEDITERRANEAN, AND Frank Fowle, Master, will load here for the BLACK SEA PORTS, NAPLES, MARSEILLES, AND PORTS OF BRAZIL Mate of Freight Shillings Fifteen per Ton of AND LA PLATA;

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N TUESDAY, the 17th day of November, 1885, at Noon, the Company's Steamship "SAGHALIEN," Commandant Homery, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and Minott, Master, will load here for the above CARGO, will leave this Port for the above Cargo and Specie will be registered for Lon-

don as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in [1919 transit through Marseilles for the principal 5 P.M., Money Order Office closes. Post Office places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon. NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 16tl November, 1885. (Parcels are not to be sen Neither the Cartains, the Agents, nor the on board; they must be left at the Agency's Contents and value of Packagos are DEBT contracted by the Officers or the Crews required.

For further particulars, apply at the Com pany's Office, G. DE CHAMPEAUX. Hongkong, 5th November, 1885.

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C. D. HARMAN, Acting Agent. Hongkong, 5th November, 1885.

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GILLOTT'S OSEPH STEEL PENS. GOLD MEDAL

Paris, 1878. Sold by all Stationers and Dealers. AND R. TENNENT ALES and PORTER.

Merchant Navy Navy Boiled CANWAS. Long Flax ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, 11th May, 1867,

DAVID CORSAR & SONS'

MAIL EXPECTED.

THE AMBRICAN MAIL. The O. & O. steamer Oceanic, with the next. American mail, left San Francisco on the 17th Octobor, and is due here on or about the 14th

November. STEAMERS EXPECTED. The steamer Catherstone left Singapore on the 18th October for this port via Saigon and Halfong.

The Union Line steamer Gulf of Papua left THE PENTISULAR AND OBJENTAL STEAM | Singapore on the 1st, and is due here on the 9th The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Ajaz left Singa-

pers on the morning of the 4th, and is due here on the 10th instant. The Shire Line steamer Denbighshire left Cargo will be received on board until Singapore on the 3rd, and may be looked for

> The steamer Glenavon left Singapore on the morning of the 5th, and may be expected to ar-The E. & A. steamer Tannadice left Sydney n the 29th October, and may be expected to

> > POST-OFFICE *NOTICES

When Correspondence has been mis-sent or delayed (both of which are liable to happen note on the cover, Sent to _____, or Received N.B.—This Steamer takes Cargo and Pas. at 7 p.m., or as the case may be, and forward it, without any other writing whatever, to the Postmaster-General. This should be acted on the first time cause of complaint occurs; it is a mistake to let such matters pass for fear of giving trouble, a course which generally gives OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM. more trouble in the end.

The Postal Guide for 1885, revised to date TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS will be found in he Daily Press Directory, p. 393 large edition, p. 657 small edition. This is the only authorised complete Summary of Postal information published in Hongkong.

LOCAL DELIVERY—No delivery is attempted on board Ship, at the Peak, Kowloon, Aberdeen, &c., nor at any private house (even though named in the address) when there is a place of business nearer, at which delivery can be effected.

The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published hams, on SATURDAY, the 14th November, twice each day in our Extra, which is always corrected to a much later hour than that given

A MAIL WILL CLOSE. For Swatow and Amoy.-Per Brucadaile, today, the 9th inst., at 9.30 A.M. For Amov and Tamsui .-- Per Hailogna, to-

address in full; and same will be received at the For Saigon. - Per Sikh, to-day, the 9th inst. at 4.30 P.M.For Swatow.—Per Amatista, to-day, the 9th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Haifong.—Per Crusades, to-day, the 9th inst., at 5.00 p.m. -For Amoy and Manila -Per Don Juan, tomorrow, the 10th inst., at 4.30 P.N. For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama.—Per

Tcheran, on Thursday, the 12th inst., at 5.00 For Straits and Calcutta.—Per Arratoon Apcar, on Saturday, the 14th instant, at 2.30 P.M. MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET.

The French Contract Packet Sughalien will sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to be despatched on TUESDAY, the 17th instant. with Mails to the United Kingdom, Europe. For further information as to Freight and places beyond, vid Naples; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Cevlon. India, (via Madras), the Australasian Colonies, Aden, Natal and the Cape, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c. The Post Office declines all responsibility for Unregistered Letters containing Jewellery, &c., and, where Registration has been neglected, will make no enquiries into alleged losses of such letters.

HOURS FOR CLOSING THE CONTRACT MAILS. THE ENGLISH MAIL. The following hours are observed in closing

Mails, &c., by the British Contract Packet:-Day of Departure.
Noon.—Money Order Office closes. 2.00 P.M.—Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. 3.00 P.M.—Mails closed, except for Late Letters S.10 P.M.-Letters may be posted with late fee of 10 cents until

S.30 P.M.—when the Post Office closes entirely. 8.40 P.M.—Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with late fee of 10 cents, until time of departure.

THE FRENCH MAIL. Day before Departure. closes, except the night box, which is always open out of office hours. Day of Departure. A.M., Pest Office opens.

10 A.M., Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. 11 A.M., Mail closes, except for Late Letters 11.10 A.M., Letters may be posted with Late Fee of 10 cents until 11.30 A.M., when the Post Office closes entirely. 11.40 A.M., Late Letters may be posted on board

the packet with Late Fee of 10 Cents until time of departure. RATES OF POSTAGE. Letters, per ½ oz. Books, Patterns, and Commercial Papers, per 2 oz. Newspapers & Prices Current, each 2 Cents. Do. with return receipt ... Commercial papers signify such papers as,

though written by hand, do not bear the charac-

MONEY ORDERS. 1.—Money orders are issued at Hongkong France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines and Shanghai on the following countries and

places :--

Holland.

Honduras, (Br.)

Azores In. Mauritius. Belgium. * Bermuda Natal. Canada. Newfoundland. Canton. North Bornso. New South Wales. Cape Colony. Ceylon. (Constantinople). Мінеро. NOFWRY. Cyprus. Donmark. Port Darwin. Portugal. Egypt.
Falkland Is. Queensland. S. Helena. Foodhow. Seychellea. dambia. · Germany. * Sierra Leone. ((libraltar). South Australia. * Gold Coast. Straits Settlements Hankow. Swatow. * Sweden. Hawaii. Hollow. Switzerland.

Hongkong. United States. * Iceland. Victoria. Western Australia. India • Italy. West Indies (British Danish, and Dutch) 2.—Orders on the countries marked are forwarded through the London Post Office, and are paid less a small discount of about 2d. in the £1. for which the remitter, should allow. All such orders must be expressed in British currency. 5.—The commission charged is as follows (ac-

Tasmania.

United Kingdom.

cording to the currency the order is drawn in.) 4.—No orders must exceed £10 or \$50 (unless drawn on India, when 150 rupees is the limit)

nor will more than two such orders be issued to the same person, in favour of the same payer by the same mail. 5.-Money orders on the United Kingdom for sums not exceeding £5 are granted by means of Postal Notes, as to which see separate notice

or the Hongkong Postal Guide. 6.—Sums not exceeding \$50 may be remitted between the ports of China by means of Postage stamps, subject to a charge of one per cent. for cashing them; or money orders can be granted at Hongkong or Shanghai on ports where there are Agencies of the Hongkong Post Office.

General Post Office Hongkong, September 1st, 1885. + Small remittances can be made to these places by means of Poetal Netos. See separate notice or the Postal Guide.

EXTRACT. _____ JOHN NEEDHAM'S DOUBLE. A STORY FOUNDED ON FACT. BY JOSEPH HATTON. CHAPTER VII.

THE WOLF IN SHEEP'S CLOTHING. "No, sir, not very late," said the night porter at the Old Hummums Hotel, as John Needham, having roug the door bell, entered

the hall. "The trains alter their times on Sunday," said Needham, "and I had to walk soveral miles before I could get a cab."

travelling. "Bar closed?" asked Needham, sitting in the norter's chair. "Yes, sir; but they leaves me out some whisky, and brandy, and soda; which will

"Yes, sir, that's the worst of Sunday

vou take, sir ?" "Sods and brandy." " Yes, sir." The porter foraged about in a mysterious

corner and produced the liquor. Needham drank it off at a draught. "I was very thirsty," he said ; " can you give me another ?" "Yes, sir,

Needham drank his second brandy with only a very small quantity of sods, and then asked for a candle. Taking it from the porter he hesitated and

you not show me the way?" "Oh vea sir, with pleasure, let me see now what is the number, sitting and bedroom, sin't it ?"

lighting his eigar. of course; I remember the overcoat, of and the scientific, contenting himself with course, Mr. Norbury, No. 13, seeing you in setting them forth. And for several days evening dress didn't strike me, and you the learned and scientific "gave him fits," to speaks a little different; got cold; that's quote a popular if vulgar phrase, while one what you've got, sir; a walking in the wet, very imaginative and sensational journalist stupid of me to forget, and I prides myself hinted that if Green had seen anybody it was in my memory for customers. You goes to really John Needham, and that the body Liverpool to-morrow morning, of course, upon which the inquest had sat was a henroot for America, beg your pardon, sir, I'm apurious corpse."

ing the porter, who led the way in two great and dreadful fear. flights of stairs and along a winding pastage to what seemed to be the back part of the bouse.

himself upon a couch, " at last." quietly as an innocent, good man is supposed showed how completely Needham had laid tral and Northern India, the Str. to sleep. He was physically fagged and his plans.

whitey-brown blinds.

ful survey of the two rooms and the luggage. sence of a few private friends and relatives, wonder, one perhaps too large to drag up. Catholic priest, to whom John Needhaw had bar safe? If I have, why did I look the door and put the key in my pocket?"

the key was in the lock.

the lid! Strange! Have I really some work Norbury. to do in the world yet, that the other couldn't do? Or is this only smoothing my way to perdition? But a truce to philosophising. No more theorising, John-I mean Joseph-we must be practical now-and cunning, devilish cunning."

He turned over the paners. " Ah! Mr. John Needham's letters of introduction | Wouder if I should keep them? | town, to describe himself, after the usual fibres, &c.) agriculture, no i Yes. He may have shown them to bis soli- manner of strangers. "I am an elector of medium exists. citor, the family lawyer who arrived so op- Middlesex," he replied. The German officials, portunely on Saturday! Last knowing that an Elector was inferior only to Rates for Advertisements. night? Why, it seems an age! Ab! letters a king or a prince, but knowing nothing of 12 lines and under per Line ... of credit-three thousand pounds-good! the meaning of the term in England, ini-Portraits! My wife? Yes, no doubt. My mediately ordered the guards to be called Half sister? Of course. And her lover? Cer- out, and received him with military honours. Whole tainly. A cheque book! What's this-a - Cassells' Greater London. memorandum on the cover. ... £300 bank notes, in charge of landlord," and the dateyesterday! Good. Shall I have to sign my name? Let me see."

writing table, upon which there were pens, Callender of that city. It appears that ink, and paper, and an ornamental pad with Charles S. Macintosh, a counsellor who was J.N.worked upon the corner.

b-u-r-7."

position of the elbow"

the table and began afresh. dashing it off easily.

"That will do."

them blaze. Next he took off his coat and few trifling "abrasions," has got out washed and shaved himself.

bay " a grim phrase." away, examined the dispatch box thoroughly, the summons upon him. The deadlock, by away, examined the dispatch box thoroughly, the summons upon him. The deadlock, by the work. Capital not require investigated the dressing case, which con- latest advices, had lasted a week; and there you. Outfit worth 21 mails tained several rings, a few severeigns, and is no prospect of a solution. Meanwhile playment is particularly adapt some silver. He waited to be called, pre- "legal business is at a standstill" in Craggs- in which this publication cirtended he was in bed when the porter knock- ville, which perhaps, on the whole, is as girls earn nearly as rucch as I ed, told him to leave the hot water and his | well. -

boots at the door. . . By half-past nine o'clock he had breakfasted, paid his bill, received the parcel of money that had been deposited at the bar. and was being driven to Euston, the sun shining on him as freely as if he were not the least saint-like of the thousands of met anyone who, having tasted life in his bells were already beginning to chime for his abode. Switzerland has loftier peaks

Sabbathrites and sermons. almonds" were lying by its side, and on the woman as in the climate of New Zealand, bottle was written, "John Needham, Esq., who loves to exhibit her mistress in an M.P., Portland Place." Near the brougham atmosphere of blue relieved by a carpet of and there was still left in the other bottle a certain that those who, like the author of day, went to the inn and roused the landlord. scenery, will bear me out that the effect is thunderstorm of the preceding night had land of streams so crystal pure, which phere. Hampstead Heath was a picture of beneath their arrowy current? And is there the sun was flooding the landscape with a self among a sea of snew or of cloud-capped

duly introduced into the affair, the body was Words."

removed to Hampstead Workhouse, where it awaited the Coroner's inquest. It lay there in the deadhouse while the murderer was travelling comfortably enough to Liverpool. As he alighted from the train towards A PURELY VEGETABLE SWEETM evening he received a rude, shock.

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Friday, on account of coaling.

Hongkong, 11th April, 1883.

Hongkong, January, 1867.

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Aug. 22 Smith

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23 Helmers

J. B. Newcomb Oct. 7 Newcomb

Mary L. Stone Oct. 31 Josselyn Pelham Nov. Downie

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Oct. 31 E. Sobwart

appearance and taste, furnishing "How do you do, Noedham ?" said a able method of administering the gentleman on the platform. "I thought I remedy for INTESTINAL or THE was the only man who felt obliged to travel It is a perfectly soft and mild preparent on Sandara. on Sundays." tick by all Chemists. "I beg your 'pardon," said Needham,

with a real stammer, an exaggeration of his. customary slight hesitation of manner, " you have the advantage of me." "Mr. Needham, is it not?" said the other. "Mr. John Needham, surely I cannot be

mistaken." "You are, sir; my name is Norbury. "I beg your pardon," said the other, " my name is Green-Wilfred Green. I am the INDEX, by which the date of any member for Harwood, and I could have found at a glance.

sworn you were a colleague of mine.". "You honour me," said Needham; have never aspired to a seat in Parliament." WRECKS, SHIPPING CASUALT "I beg your pardon," said the stranger TYPHOONS, do. again.

Needham smiled, took off his hat and moved away "Curse him!" he muttered between his teeth : "I always hated him the jabbering idiot! What will he say when he reads the

papers to-morrow?" What did he say? Mr. Wilfred Green, M. P. wrote a letter to the Times stating that it might be more than a coincidence, the appearunce unto him at Liverpool on Sunday then said, "I always forget my number, will of John Needham; and he suggested several Particular attention is given at carious psychological explanations of the ment to COMMERCIAL and C same. It might have been an optical effort of the mind or a communication from the spirit world; John Needham's personality Needham did not answer, he was busy re- might for the moment have been unconaciously assumed by another, for spirit par-"You come in Thursday night's Midland, poses; but he left the facts to the learned

These and other strange circumstances set "Don't mention it," said Needham follow- ap in the sensitive mind of Kate Norbury a

The inquest was opened on Tuesday morning. - The body had been identified by the deceased's brother Henry, and by the butler. "At last!" Needbam exclaimed, flinging Several personal friends were present, including two members of Parliament. There had THE TROPICAL AGR He spoke no more, nor spoke for a long not been the smallest doubt, of course, as to L has now an assured posit time but fell into a profound sleep-slept as the suicide, and the evidence of the servants circulation in Ceylon, Southern

Queensland, Central America, worn out, and Nature would no longer be The jury, after a short deliberation, gave a verdict of felo-de-se, which it was generally planting settlements we have The caudles were nearly burnt out when understood meant a midnight burial with proval of the publication and he awoke. He rubbed his eyes and looked something worse than maimed rights; but measure of support. The Eng around him. Then he got up and shivered. in this case the body had been previously Colonial Press have spoken i The sunlight was struggling through the removed to the deceased's residence in Port. terms of the T.A., as also Direction and the removed to the deceased's residence in Port. land place, and on the fifth day after death Gardens from Sir Joseph downwards, and so have all plan He put out the candles, and made a care- it was interred at Kensal Green in the pre-"Have I any trunks that are not here, I the service being conducted by a Roman stairs? Have I placed my valuables in the professed to confess his sins, but of whose Single copies 2s. or RI, back existence the real deceased had had no more in cloth, lettered, with compre knowledge in life than he had in death. And £1 10s. (or R18), carriage prepa He opened a large leather portmanteau, in due course there was written on a black and silver plate over the remains of Joseph "R'ady packed-need not disturb that." Norbury, the dishonoured name of John "A despatch box," he remarked, turning Needham. Meanwhile a strange instinct of suitable for the tropics, India, to a travelling case upon a chest of drawers, fear and mistrast in regard to her brother's the Straits Settlements, Java. " very like my own, and with my initials on welfare took possession of the mind of Kate (Central America being included or connected with agricultu Agriculturist stands unrivalle

(To be Continued.)

constantly in the hands of Nat AN ELECTOR OF BRENTFORD. ropean and American agricul Monthly Periodical, the Tropi A good story is told of one of the inhabitlies on the table and is very ants of Brentford in the last century. Hapduring each month, a fact which pening to be travelling in Germany, where know how to appreciate. "Electors" are, or were, not uncommon, he was called on, as he entered the gates of a implements, &c., used in tro Quarter Page (once)...178. R1

A LEGAL DEADLOCK and subscriptions, may be addr. Society in Craggaville, Idaho, is reported to be painfully agitated by a surprising out-He took up the letters of credit, went to a burst of eccentricity on the part of Judge TOOKBINDING IN ALL instructed to appear for the defence in an "An easy signature," he said, sitting action for selling damaged goods, incidentdown. "I have found much more difficult ally alluded to ex-Mayor Muller-who oriones easy before now-J-o-s-e-p-h N.o-r- ginally won the confidence of Oraggaville by Bookbinding in every Styl the conscientious accuracy with which he He wrote each letter carefully and slowly. | cured the skins of defunct animals—as "that Commercial Binding of every "My hand trembles, eh? No-it is the potato-headed owl-mangler." Judge Callen. der, leaping from the beach, remarked, " in Then be rested the whole of his arm upon is voice choked with umotion," " Macintosh, QUALITY OF MATERIALS AND you are a thief and a slanderer!" and pro-He tried again and again, writing the ceeded to belabour the learned gentleman's name more quickly each time," and at last | head " with the court ruler." Macintosh having shot the usher, "a free shooting commended," at the close of which-everyone's Then he tore up his failures, and leaving ammunition being exhausted-"three able. his last effort upon the table, went to the bodied citizens" were conveyed groaning to fireplace, removed the paper ornament, tried the hospital by the fortunate survivors. Mr. the damper to see if it was down, found it Macintosh, who is suffering from nothing up, and lighting the bits of paper watched worse than common "contused eye" and summons for assault against Judge Callen-"My travelling clothes are laid out ready." der. But that wily functionary has taken

Then he repeated " laid out," and paused to up his permanent residence in the courthouse, and declares that he will commit for cou-He changed his dress clothes, packed them tempt of court any person who offers to serve localities, at work for us. N

time-don't delay, but writ THE CHARM OF NEW ZEALAND. Address STINSON & Co., United States. New Zealand has the very extraordinary property of causing all who have once set foot on her shores to pass beneath the indescribable spell of her witchery. I never worshippers for whose behoof many church new island home; would consent to change and fairer towns; Tyrol may boast prettier On Sunday morning a bird-catcher on the outlines; Scotland has her classic heather Wharf and Tsim-Tsa-Tsu hunt for "feather-headed" warblers who and her brown billsides; Norway, historic hours:-This Time Table wil could detect no difference in the song of the memories that linger in her winding fiords; the 20th October, 1885. decoy from the fresh wild notes of liberty, but having gazed at and fancied myself in Leaves came upon the dead body of a gentleman love with each of these sirens in turn, I am Kowloon not far from the well-known hostelry called ever drawn back to my ideal beauty, New 6.15 A.M. Jack Straw's Castle. First he saw a borse Zealand. Nature does not often play the browsing in one of the little adjoining prodigal; to New Zealand she has given all 8.50 valleys. Half a mile further, on he saw a her charms, and keeps them fresh and impe- 10.45 ,, brougham partly on the bridle path at the riously beautiful as Cleopatra's. In no other 12.45 P.W. back of the tavern, and partly in a furze country has she set down towering mountains 2.20 bash, and close by lay, the dead body of a beside profound fiords, and backed the scene 3.30 geotleman, cold and stiff. It was in evening by dense forests sloping down on the other dress. The clothes were wet. A crushed side of the range into fertil pastures. In no hat, and a bottle labelled "essential oil of other spot does she find so deft a tiringwas a silver spirit flask with "John Need- brownish green. I am quite aware that this to, except under unavoidable circumstances. In ham" engraved upon it, together with a collocation of colours ought to sound hideous case of stress of weather, due notice will be crest. It contained essential oil of almonds, and repulsive in the last degree, but I am given of any stoppages. considerable quantity of the deadly drug. The "Erewhon," have lived in New Zealand till 100 RTLAND CEMENT. bird-catcher, relinquishing business for the they have learned to catch the spirit of her It was a glorious summer mereing. The passing beautiful. Then, was there ever a freshened the earth and cleared the atmost challenge you to count every pebble that lies beauty, the air full, of sweet perfumes, and not an unspeakable charm in finding one's Hongkong and China by Mesars. J. & R. TEN-NENT, Glasgow, and Messrs. DAVID CORSAR & soft and tender light. peaks, many unnamed, and most untrodden Sons. Arbroath. Assistance being procured, and the police by man?-Professor H. A. Strong, in " Good

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